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## New Maberry Well Extends Oil Field to West

### Former Hamlin Man Dies in Big Freight Plane Crash

#### Remains Will Be Brought to Hamlin For Final Rites

J. R. Elliott Jr., 26-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Elliott Sr. of Hamlin, was killed Wednesday morning when a freight-carrying airplane which he was piloting between Chicago, Illinois, and New York City, crashed during a storm in a wooded section of Connecticut.

No particulars about the plane crash could be obtained by the Hamlin relatives at press time for The Herald.

The freight carrying route was being operated by the Slick Airlines Company of Chicago. He was a co-pilot on the big machine. Funeral arrangements were incomplete Thursday morning, but they will be conducted at Hamlin pending arrival of the remains from Chicago. Arrangements will be announced by Barrow Funeral Home.

Young Elliott formerly was employed in the Hamlin post office, and had taught flying lessons before going to Chicago with the airlines. As a lad he worked part-time in The Herald office for Bowen Pope.

Surviving Elliott are his wife, the former Elva Jean Newland of Hamlin, and their children, Jerry Lynn, two, and Clayton Douglas, four months, of Chicago; Tommy and Randy Elliott, children by a former marriage, who live at Crane; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Elliott Sr. of Hamlin; and a sister, Mrs. W. H. Hallmark of Celotex.

#### Hamlin VA Teachers To Judge Abilene Show

T. C. Blankenship and Harold Eades, instructors of vocational agriculture in Hamlin High School and sponsors of the Hamlin Future Farmers of America chapter, will be judges in the annual Taylor County Club Boys Show at Abilene Saturday.

The Hamlin teachers will judge the capon division, in which more than 300 birds have been entered.

### Red Cross Drive to Be Pushed Monday

Hamlin community's drive for Red Cross memberships for 1953 will begin next Monday with a stepped-up personal solicitation by a complete corps of workers, it was announced this week by Dr. William S. Seals, drive fund chairman for the community.

Goal of \$1,741 has been assigned to the community by drive leaders for Jones County, whose overall quota is \$8,202 this year. W. T. Johnson of Hamlin is county fund chairman, and Earl Smith, also of Hamlin, is general county Red Cross chairman.

Hamlin women's clubs will direct the membership campaign in the residential sections of the city, and business men's teams will seek memberships in the business section, Seals said.

Members of the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will conduct the drive in the southwest section of Hamlin; the Woman's Literary Club will conduct the drive in the southeast portion; Business and Professional Women's Club members will lead in the northwest sector; and the Fifty-Two Study Club will work the northeast sector and north of the Katy railroad.

Teams of business men working the business section of Hamlin will be led by C. B. (Pinky) Phelps, Wayland Fuqua, Travis Hash, Weldon Carlton, Onis Crawford,

#### Smokers Pay More For Cigarettes as Price Controls Lifted

Smokers of the Hamlin area and practically every other spot in the country were paying more for their cigarettes this week as the result of the lifting of price controls by the federal government last week-end.

Wholesale prices generally advanced 10 cents a carton, and retail prices were up 20 to 30 cents a carton.

Per-package prices generally were up one cent. Most firms of Hamlin had been selling cigarettes at 22 cents, and these prices went to 23 cents. A few firms advanced their prices from 23 to 24 and 25 cents. Vending machines had been delivering smokes for 25 cents, and the quarter price remains this week.

#### Two Hamlin Girls in College Band on Tour

Two Hamlin young women are members of the McMurry College Indian Band that has been making a spring tour to points in South Texas and Old Mexico, where they did a number of concerts and parades.

Kay Bessire, a junior, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bessire, and Suzanne Hudson, a freshman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hudson of Hamlin, are members of the band.

#### Committee to Select Trips for Senior Class

In a senior class meeting held Wednesday, Clark Hewitt, president, appointed a senior trip committee. The following were on the committee: J. R. Rhoten, chairman; Naomi Cundieff, Sammie Cavitt, Louella Brigham, Don Johnson and Kevin Rogers.

The students, with High School Principal B. V. Newberry and Mrs. Austin Poe, will select two or three trips that will be possible to make and then let the class vote on those places selected by the committee.

### First Casualty of County Killed in Korean Conflict

News was received in Hamlin last Thursday that Sergeant Leon Holden, former Hamlin boy serving with the armed forces in the Korean War, had been killed in action in that country on February 20.

Sergeant Holden is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Holden of Hamlin, and a number of other relatives live in this area. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Holden, are now living at Anson.

Young Holden, first casualty of the current Korean conflict from this county as far as The Herald can learn, was born March 17, 1931, at Hiltson, west of Hamlin.

News of the Army sergeant's death reached his parents only one day before their son was to have sailed for home.

#### VA Boys Landscaping High School Grounds As Class Project

Students are proud that landscaping for the Hamlin High School grounds was started this month by the vocational agriculture boys under the direction of T. C. Blankenship, vocational agriculture teacher.

#### Senior Class to Present Play at School Tonight

Seniors of Hamlin High School will present their annual class play this (Friday) evening in the high school auditorium.

The play, "Father Was a Housewife," written by Vera and Ken Tarpley, is about psychology. This one is about that exceedingly rare personality, Tom Butler, a father who stays home—makes beds and does the dishes—cleans house and bakes pies—gossips with the neighbors—all this while his wife, Dr. Ann Butler, devotes herself to her many patients at the office and hospital. The Butler children, twins, Julie and Doug, who play an excitingly important part in the story too, are in high school, or supposed to be.

Members of the cast include: Marylee Roland, Joe Ray Rosenbaum, Nona White, Marvin Johnson, Jerry Lee, Joe Don Hymen, Clark Hewitt, Guy Weaver, Maxine Crawford, Jo Ann Carroll, Laverne Higdon, Dorothy Lujan, Robert Fletcher, Allene Reynolds, and Jo Ann Holmes.

The production cast includes Don Johnson, J. R. Rhoten, Ann Watts, Kathryn Darden, Robert Rhoten, and Jack Wright.

Between-act specialties will be by James and Lynn Burkhardt, Louella Brigham, Glenn Smith, Jeanne Jones, Shirley Nelson, Margot Patterson, Jack Wright, and Don Johnson.

Proceeds of the play will go to expenses of the senior trip which all members plan to take in May, and also help pay on a gift to be left to the school by the class.

Curtain on the annual performance will go up at 7:30, it is announced.

### Two More File For Places on City Alderman Ticket

Two more candidates for places on the Hamlin City Council were posted this week as the deadline for filing of names neared. Entrants this week are A. Hudson, seeking re-election, and A. Spencer, lumberman.

Terms of Hudson and O. D. Roland are expiring. Hudson is completing his first term as a city alderman.

Mayor B. M. Brundage told The Herald Wednesday, that Roland will not seek re-election.

Louie J. Cunningham, laboratory technician at Hamlin Memorial Hospital, filed for a place on the city ticket several days ago.

Mrs. H. M. Barrow, city secretary, emphasized this week that deadline for filing names for the city ticket is 5:00 o'clock p. m. Saturday. The city election will be held on Tuesday, April 7.

Another slight boost for crop prospects in the Hamlin section was received Friday of last week and Monday night of this week that totaled less than one-third of an inch.

The fall at the city pump station last Friday failed to register, but several communities around Hamlin reported up to half an inch. Monday night precipitation registered .25 of an inch, and again this rainfall was heavier north and west of Hamlin. Aspermont received two inches Monday.



AT HOUSTON MEETING—Joe Culbertson (right) and L. H. McBride, just behind him, are shown as they prepare to register for the annual meeting of the Federal Land Bank last week at Houston. They are directors of the Jones County Farm Loan Association, subsidiary of the Houston land bank. They were among five Jones County attendants at the gathering.



TEXAS SEVENTH FLAG AGAIN FLIES AT LAREDO—The short-lived Republic of the Rio Grande, which existed during 1840, is remembered at Laredo, its capital city, where the colorful costumed descendants of the founders recently hoisted the green, white and red banner they feel deserves a place beside the six flags that have flown over Texas.

### Hamlin Youths Win Major Show Prizes

Hamlin 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America boys and girls did quite well last Saturday with their entries in the annual Jones County 4-H and FFA Livestock Show at Stamford.

Grand champion awards went to Hamlin exhibitors in the fat beef, fat swine, breeding swine, dairy cow and capon divisions, as well as for the record book contest.

Louella Brigham, Hamlin High School senior and a member of the 4-H Club, took the grand championship of the show with her 1,060-pound Hereford calf, "Lucky."

Arlon Baize, Hamlin 4-H Club member, took the championship in the breeding beef class.

Boyce Blankenship, Hamlin 4-H Club boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Blankenship of Hamlin, was awarded grand champion in the fat swine division. Reserve champion went to Tommy Flenniken, Hamlin FFA boy.

In the breeding hog division, Dawl Johnson, Hamlin FFA member, took the grand champions, and Flenniken showed the reserve champion.

Clifford Eoff, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Eoff of Hamlin, showed the grand champion dairy cow of the show. Clifford is a Hamlin FFA boy.

Championship in the capon section went to Doyle Brinagar, Hamlin FFA boy.

### New Fire Credit Rating to Mean Big Insurance Saving

Residents of the Hamlin city limits will effect a 10 per cent saving in fire insurance premiums for the new fiscal year beginning April 1, according to announcement received this week from Olin Culberson, secretary-treasurer of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Association of Texas.

The new insurance rating is the result of a five per cent credit plus the removal of a five per cent penalty paid last year because of poor fire records for the town, Culberson's notification has pointed out.

Net fire insurance premiums paid for 1952 amounted to \$50,362, and the 10 per cent saving will amount to approximately \$5,000 saving on premiums for the ensuing year.

#### Drive-In Theater to Be Reopened Sunday

Hamlin's Drive-In Theater, just south of the Hamlin business section, will open for the summer season beginning Sunday, according to announcement by Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, owner.

Considerable refinishing and repairing have been underway at the theater for several days.

### Committees for Chamber of Commerce Year Named by President C. L. Howard

Committees for the ensuing Chamber of Commerce year were Wednesday announced by President C. L. Howard, who declared that prospects for a good work of activity are bright.

Heading the list of committees is a program-of-work group composed of the president or chairman of each civic organization in town which will be an information group to keep the Chamber of Commerce supplied with the plans and ideas of the civic group. The various CC committees will, in turn, keep the program-of-work committee informed of programs, Howard explained in his report.

Other committees follow: Agriculture Committee—Tom Teague, Earl Whaley, Starr Inzer, Thomas Ferguson and T. C. Blankenship.

Civic Committee—Fred Smith, George Malouf, Dr. William S. Seals.

Membership Committee—Wood Cowan, Mrs. Louise Ensey, B. O. Bell and Onis Crawford.

Budget and Finance Committee

### Greater Drilling Program for Area Seen for Future

Expansion of the oil producing area around Hamlin was being extended considerably this week with the proving of a good producer by Texas & Pacific Coal & Oil Company's No. 1 Mrs. J. D. Maberry, half a mile west of the Celotex Corporation plant and some five miles southwest of Hamlin. Official test had not been completed Thursday morning, but operators were convinced they had a good well.

The well was producing from about 4,300 feet, following a good find of oil with considerable gas pressure. Drilled past the pay sand, operators found salt water, but plugged back some 30 feet to complete the well. It is located in Subdivision 197, B. B. B. & C. Railway Company Survey, Block 1. Site is about half a mile west of the small producer on the Mrs. Evalina Johnson tract.

New wells continue to be spotted all over the Hamlin territory, and still others are "in the mill," according to operators and promoters. Within 60 days probably 10 or 12 new rigs are expected to be operating in the immediate Hamlin area.

Johnson Drilling Company of Longview this week spotted its No. 1 John Sumrell test six miles west of Hamlin. The well will drill to the reef formation. It is located on Section 90, H. & T. C. Railway Company Survey.

Wimberly Drilling Company of Tyler has made location for a well on the Tenie Moore tract just west of the west city limits of Hamlin. Site is in the Charles Gates Survey. Rig was moving in Wednesday, and the hole was expected to be spudded in late Wednesday or early Thursday.

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### Raymond Davis of Oklahoma Named to District Scout Post

Raymond Davis of El Reno, Oklahoma, has been named as the new Boy Scout executive for the Northern District of the Chisholm Trail Council, of which Hamlin is a part, it was announced this week by Robert Glew, council executive, at Abilene.

Davis succeeds John Dagen, who resigned recently to enter private business.

Davis will assume his new duties this week, and will make his home at Stamford, where the district office is maintained.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis have two children, a son, eight, and a daughter, nine years of age.

Davis formerly was on the staff of the Great Salt Plains Council for Boy Scouts with headquarters at Enid, Oklahoma.

### Who's New This Week

Only one new arrival has been reported at Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald. The new citizen is

A boy for Mr. and Mrs. Norris Blanton, who was born February 25 at 8:25 a. m. Weighing seven pounds four ounces at birth, he has been named John Newcomb.

Trade Development Committee—Donley Williams, C. C. Bailey, E. J. Phelps, Ed Dodd, Charles Lovell, Curtis Dodd and C. D. Leonard.

Industrial Committee—J. E. Patterson, Weldon Johnson, J. B. Terrell Jr. and Theo Bell.

Highway Committee—I. R. Huchingson, Joe Culbertson and A. Spencer.



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## ARE WE HELPING OUR YOUTHS ON THE WAY?

If there was a bad curve or blind bend on one of our highways where accidents were increasing every day, what would we do about it? Would we build a larger hospital, put on more nurses and doctors—or would we eliminate the curve and thus remove the cause?

We can put up warning signs, we can build larger jails, reformatories, and asylums which reports show are being crowded by our youths of today. How about building a new road without danger spots that they would enjoy traveling on and then forget the old one. To do this, we the elders would have to pioneer and blaze the trail.

Let us look at ourselves through the eyes of our youths. They have been following us and our advice for many years. Where has it led them? Into a social, economic and moral mess. Is it to late to help them? They do not want our help. Our advice has proven valueless. So, what? We just call them scatterbrains while

they are blazing new trails into the unknown.

The youths of today are just what their parents, their education and social environment have made them. They desire pity rather than scorn. Family squabbles, idleness and reckless spending are bad examples. Every day one can see greed and selfishness replacing love, charity and respect for the rights of others. Bad companions, immoral shows and pictures, crime stories and radio programs all have a tendency to lead youths along paths of delinquency and crime.

We cannot condemn all youths. We should approach their problems with patience and charity and try to educate them along lines of virtue, honor and good citizenship. We as citizens lay the foundation for this new road with the help of teachers, ministers, social workers and parents. This will create a wholesome environment through social and athletic clubs with supervised recreation.

## "Small Man" Pays

There was a time when the average man and woman didn't have to do too much worrying about the cost of running the government. In that long-dead era it was commonly said the rich paid most of the bill anyhow, and the rest of the people got the benefits practically free.

Anyone who still believes that, lives in a world of sheer fantasy. We have finally reached the point where the cost of government is so huge that even the confiscatory taxes paid by people in the high-income groups hardly make a dent in the total—and the people of small and moderate means must carry the bulk of the burden.

Early in 1951, Secretary of the Treasury Snyder presented some revealing facts to a House committee. They concern the distribution of surtax net income, which is the income left after deductions for personal exemptions and dependents. In that year, Mr. Snyder said, surtax net income totals \$90,000,000,000. Of this, \$82,000,000,000 was in the brackets of \$10,000 and under (\$62,000,000,000 being in the under-\$2,000 classification) and only \$8,000,000,000 was in the brackets above \$10,000.

This should certainly take care of the illusion that we can keep on meeting the cost of government by "soaking the rich." If we expropriated every nickel of income the rich have, the resulting revenue would carry the government for only a matter of weeks. It's the "small man" who must pay—as tens of millions learned last March 15. And it's the "small man" who has the most to gain from efficient, economical government, and reduced taxes.

## Count Your Blessings

In all the talk about high prices, a few important facts are often overlooked.

One of those facts is that America has the highest living standards in the world, by a tremendous margin. Nowhere else does the average family enjoy such an abundance of both necessities and luxuries.

Another is the fact that in America the average wage-earner has to work much less time to earn enough to buy food, a car, suit of clothes, or practically anything else, than in the other nations of the world.

## Are You a Builder?

Isn't it strange that prince and kings

And clowns that caper in sawdust rings

And common folks like you and me

Are builders for eternity?

To each is given a set of tools,

A shapeless mass, and a book of rules,

And each must build, ere life has flown,

A stumbling block, or a stepping stone.

—R. L. Sharpe.

The proper function of a government is to make it easy for the people to do good and difficult for them to do evil.—Gladstone.

## RECALLING Other Years

☆ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper. The Herald

### TWENTY YEARS AGO.

From the files of The Hamlin Herald are reprinted the following news bits taken from the issue dated March 3, 1933:

Poe's Cash Grocery advertised the following food prices. Flour, 48-pound sack, 98 cents; sugar, 10 pounds 43 cents; oranges and apples, one cent each.

A rabbit drive will be staged March 2 in the Plainview and Lacota communities. Dinner will be served at the J. L. Miller place.

Cowboy State Bank of Rotan was consolidated last week with the First National Bank in that neighbor town to the west, leaving only one bank for that area.

Archie Pradue is in the Baptist Sanitarium at Abilene recovering from an appendicitis operation.

Zasu Pitts and Slim Summer-ville were featured in "They Just Had to Get Married" at the Ritz Theater.

Hamlin community is about to recover from the severe cold spell that persisted in the area for several days. It has been the worst weather the community has experienced in several years.

### TEN YEARS AGO.

From the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 26, 1943, the following news items were re-produced:

Chessie Westbrook of Hamlin and Mack Perdue of Haskell were married last Friday at the Church of the Nazarene parsonage, with Rev. Dan Jones, pastor, officiating.

Corporal and Mrs. J. V. Walraven announce the birth of a son, Jerry Martin, on February 10. Mrs. Walraven is the former Doris Hudson.

Mrs. Loy Fry went to Wichita Falls Sunday to visit her son, Loy Fry Jr., who is stationed at Sheppard Field.

Mrs. B. Middleton, who has been in a Stamford hospital, was able to return to her home here Tuesday. A daughter, Mrs. A. T. Holbert of Fort Worth, came Wednesday to be with her.

Dorothy Hudson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hudson, and Ester Hastings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hastings, were married Wednesday evening.

Mrs. I. R. Witt is in Dallas attending the gift show and buying merchandise for Witt Jewelry.

### FIVE YEARS AGO.

From the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 28, 1943, the following items of interest are re-produced:

Despite adverse weather conditions last Saturday, the Club Boys Livestock and Poultry Show staged at Hamlin attracted a big list of entries, vying for nearly \$400 in cash premiums.

Suit for \$114,695 has been filed by L. O. Carpenter of Hamlin against Hamlin Sand & Gravel Company in 104th District Court at Anson for damages because of injuries sustained by Carpenter's son, Aubrey Lewis, in a fall at the gravel plant July 6, 1946.

C. R. Angel, cashier of Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Hamlin, was named secretary of the West Texas Bankers Association at the annual convention of the organization in Fort Worth this week.

Rev. H. Clyde Smith, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Pampa, will do the preaching in an eight-day revival meeting to begin Sunday at the Hamlin First Methodist Church.

### ONE YEAR AGO.

The following news briefs are taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated February 29, 1952:

Citizens of Hamlin will vote on whether the parking meters installed in March, 1950, will be retained by the city. The meters were installed on a trial basis for six months. The election was called in compliance with a request by a petition signed by 175 citizens presented several weeks ago to the City Council.

A new garbage paker, costing approximately \$7,300 has just been received by the City of Hamlin.

Hamlin Future Farmers of America boys copped the three top honors at the Jones County Club Boys' Show at Anson Saturday with their entries.

No clues have been found by investigating officers as to the identity of burglars who entered Howard City Drug last Thursday night and escaped with merchandise valued at \$800.

Record poll tax payments of 5,187 were paid by Jones County citizens before the February 1 deadline, reports Elzy Bennett, collector of taxes at Anson.

## Fat Lambs Draw Better Prices as Fort Worth as Greater Demand Is Reflected

Fat lambs advanced at Fort Worth in the opening session this week, reflecting the strength of the dressed meat trade for that item in the Eastern states, reports Ted Goudly, special market reporter at Fort Worth, in his weekly release to The Herald. Feeders were steady to weak, and yearlings and older sheep were in small supply and drew firm prices.

Hog runs all around the market circle were again far below a year ago, and pork product prices were stronger, and this was responsible for a 25 to 50-cent advance Monday on top hogs, and sows drew strong prices. Top hogs sold for \$21.25 to \$21.75. Sows drew \$16.50 to \$19.50. Pigs were quotable around \$12 to \$17.

Most classes of cattle and calves ruled steady, except fed steers and yearlings, which sold weak to 50 cents lower. Heavier weight steers were under the most pressure. Stocker trade was extremely narrow again.

Numerous shipments of cattle afflicted with hyperkeratosis (X disease) were again in the run and sold for immediate slaughter.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings cashed at \$19 to \$22.50, a load of 1,230-pound steers from Jim Hubbard of Lancaster at \$21.

and some \$11-pound cattle from M. E. Harrison of Byers at \$19.25. A load of 1,029-pound steers from Throckmorton sold for \$20.25. Two loads of Oklahoma steers drew \$22.25. Common and medium offerings sold for \$12 to \$19, some shells for less.

Fat cows sold from \$14 to \$16, with canners and cutters mostly from \$10 to \$13.50, some old shells for less. Bulls drew \$10 to \$18. Good and choice fat calves bulked at \$19 to \$22.50, and plain and medium kinds sold from \$13 to \$19, with culls around \$10 to \$13. Stocker calves were quotable at \$23 down, and yearlings around \$22 down. Stocker cows sold from \$12 to \$18.

Good and choice fat lambs bulked at \$19 to \$22, a load of woolled lambs at 104 pounds from the L. R. Allison Farms, Tornillo (El Paso County) at \$22. Clipped lambs with No. 1 and No. 2 pelts bulked at \$19 to \$20, some 105-pound lambs from L. A. Bryson of Rochelle at \$19.50. John H. Thaxton of San Saba had 200 clipped lambs at \$9 pounds at \$20. Stocker and feeder lambs drew \$17 to \$20. Yearlings and two sold from \$13 to \$17.50, and a few old ewes cashed at \$7 to \$10. Aged wethers drew \$12 down.

## District Cooperators Work Projects to Aid In Soil Improvement

Vestus Bunkley, cooperators in the California Creek Soil Conservation District in the Rockdale community, has caught 15 feet of water in a newly completed tank which was staked out for him by technicians of the Soil Conservation Service.

Four district cooperators in the Tuxedo community have ordered King Ranch bluestem seed this week. These cooperators are John Apperson, J. H. Rivers, A. M. Matucha and Roy Williams. They will use this grass to stop washing, reseed pastures and for establishing permanent pastures.

J. W. Poer, who farms 10 miles southwest of Stamford, reports his 52 acres of winter peas and vetch is still doing good. He is using this crop for soil improvement and winter grazing.

Koy Brown has completed the terrace system on one of his farms southeast of Hamlin. He plans to construct the terrace system with a belt machine.

Recent guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. McCrary have been Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Nell Sholley and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pfeiffer of Lebanon, Pennsylvania, and Captain and Mrs. K. J. Holmes and son, Jimmy, of Ogden, Utah.

## Katy Carloadings Up For Week Over 1952

Local carloadings for Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railway Lines for the week ending February 20, 1953, totaled 4,763 compared with 4,355 for the corresponding week in 1952. Received from connections were 5,057 cars for the week compared with 3,861 cars for the same week a year ago.

Total cars moved for the year to date were 34,932 cars compared with 30,909 cars for the same period of 1952.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bessire visited their daughter, Kay, at McMurry College in Abilene Sunday. While in Abilene they also visited Mrs. Milton Messire, who has had major surgery in Hendrick Memorial Hospital. They were accompanied by Mrs. L. B. Holden.

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## Complete List of Winners in Club Boys' County Show at Stamford Tabulated

Complete list of awards made at the annual Jones County 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America Livestock Show, staged last Saturday at the Cowboy Reunion Grounds at Stamford, follow:

**CATTLE DIVISION**  
Breeding Beef—First, Arlon Baize, Hamlin FFA; second, Milton Hines, Stamford FFA; third, Richard Welch, Stamford FFA; fourth, George Mayfield, Stamford FFA; fifth, Cleveland Garrett, Lueders 4-H Club.  
Reading Beef, Showmanship—First, Richard Welch, Stamford FFA; second, Arlon Baize, Hamlin 4-H; third, Milton Hines, Stamford FFA.  
Dairy Heifers, two years and under—First, Clifford Eoff, Hamlin FFA; second, Marvin Johnson, Hamlin FFA; third, Tommy Flenniken, Hamlin FFA; fourth, Dennis Johnson, Hamlin FFA; fifth, Joe Ray Rosenbaum, Hamlin FFA; sixth, Jackie Drummond, Hamlin FFA; seventh, Robert Ehoton, Hamlin FFA; eighth, Jimmy Dan Vick, Hawley FFA; ninth, Larry Williams, Hamlin FFA; tenth, Robert Ehoton, Hamlin FFA.  
Dairy Cows, two years old and have calved—First, Dell Rogers, Stamford FFA; second, Clifford Eoff, Hamlin 4-H; third and fourth, Robert Ehoton, Hamlin FFA; fifth, Frank Whitley, Stamford FFA.  
Champion—Clifford Eoff, Hamlin FFA. Reserve Champion—Dell Rogers, Stamford FFA.  
Showmanship, Dairy—First, Dell Rogers, Stamford FFA; second, Larry Williams, Hamlin 4-H; third, Jackie Drummond, Hamlin FFA.  
**FAT STEERS DIVISION**  
Light Weight—First, James Ray Cox, Lueders 4-H; second, Edward Eckdahl, Stamford FFA; third, Tom Nix, Anson FFA; fourth, Bobby Wedeking, Anson FFA; fifth, Keith Deskins, Avoca 4-H.  
Medium Weight—First, George Cox, Lueders 4-H; second, Buford Sprayberry, Anson FFA; third, Kenneth Stamford, Lueders FFA; fourth, A. H. McIlwain, Anson FFA; fifth, Ronnie Soebos, Anson FFA.  
Heavy Weight—First, Louella Brigham, Hamlin 4-H; second, Jimmy Arledge, Stamford FFA; third, Tom Nix, Anson FFA; fourth, Edward Eckdahl, Stamford FFA; fifth, Joe Vick White, Anson FFA; sixth, Bobby Wedeking, Anson FFA.  
Showmanship, Light—Louella Brigham, Hamlin 4-H; second, Edward Eckdahl, Stamford FFA; third, Buford Sprayberry, Anson FFA.  
Grand Champion—Louella Brigham, Hamlin 4-H.  
Reserve Champion—James Ray Cox, Lueders 4-H.  
**LAMB DIVISION**  
Fat Lambs, Fine Wool—First and second, Buford Sprayberry, Anson FFA; third and fourth, Jack Piper, Anson FFA; fifth, Gilbert Smith, Anson FFA; sixth and seventh, Alfred Barker, Hawley FFA; eighth, Bruce Land, Hawley FFA; ninth and tenth, Mike Latimer, Lueders FFA.  
Showmanship, Lambs—First, Joe White, Anson FFA; second, Monte Cowart, Anson FFA; third, Mike Latimer, Lueders FFA.  
Fat Lambs, Muttons—First and second, Buford Sprayberry, Anson FFA; third, Mike Latimer, Lueders FFA; fourth, Leonard Goss, Anson 4-H; eighth, Gilbert Smith, Anson FFA; fifth, Lee Stephens, Anson FFA.  
Champion and Reserve Champion—Buford Sprayberry, Anson 4-H.  
**SWINE DIVISION**  
Barrows under 180 Pounds—First and second, Tommy Flenniken, Hamlin FFA; third, Cloya Patton, Lueders FFA; fourth, Roy Server, Hamlin FFA; fifth, Benny Parnell, Stamford FFA; sixth, Billy Patton, Lueders 4-H.  
Barrow, 180 to 219 Pounds—First, Dawl Johnson, Hamlin FFA; second, Donald Johnson, Hamlin FFA; third, John Treadwell, Stamford FFA; fourth, Benny Parnell, Stamford FFA; fifth, James Linn, Hamlin FFA; sixth and seventh, Boyce Blankenship, Hamlin 4-H.  
Barrows 220 Pounds and Over—First, Boyce Blankenship, Hamlin 4-H; second, Roy Server, Hamlin FFA; third, B. H. Ever-ton, Hamlin FFA; fourth, Carl Reed, Stamford FFA; fifth, Charles McIlwain, Anson 4-H; sixth, Danny Tollison, Anson FFA; seventh, Dwan Mayfield, Anson FFA.  
Gilts Under Six Months—First, Dawl Johnson, Hamlin FFA; second, Royce Rogers, Anson FFA; third, John Treadwell, Stamford FFA; fourth, Benny Parnell, Stamford FFA; fifth, A. H. McIlwain, Anson FFA; sixth, Herman Wil-lams, Hamlin 4-H; seventh, Donald Johnson, Hamlin FFA; eighth, K. T. Scott, Hamlin FFA; ninth, Howard Frank-lin, Anson FFA; tenth, Jim Franklin, Hawley FFA; eleventh, Benny Parnell, Stamford FFA; twelfth, Ronnie Soebos, Anson 4-H; thirteenth, James Montgomery, Hawley FFA.  
Gilts, Six to Eight Months—First, Benny Parnell, Stamford FFA; second, Donald Cooley, Hawley FFA; third, Dwan Mayfield, Anson FFA.  
Gilts, Eight to Nine Months—First, John-by Muehlstein, Avoca 4-H; second, Bobby Jones, Stamford FFA; third, Charles McIlwain, Anson 4-H; fourth, Gene Deskins, Stamford FFA; fifth, Steve Reynolds, Hamlin 4-H; sixth, Arlon Baize, Hamlin FFA; seventh, Muri Don Smith, Hamlin 4-H; eighth, Adrian Staley, Anson 4-H.  
Sows That Have Farrowed—First, Tommy Flenniken, Hamlin FFA; second, Ben-ny Parnell, Stamford FFA; third, Dwan Mayfield, Anson FFA; fourth, Donald Benthal, Anson FFA; fifth, Gene Clift, Noodle 4-H.  
Pen of Three—First, Tommy Flenniken, Hamlin FFA; second, Boyce Blankenship, Hamlin 4-H; third, Dwan Johnson, Hamlin FFA; fourth, Benny Parnell, Stamford FFA.  
Sow Showmanship—First, Donald Johnson, Hamlin FFA; second, Dwan Johnson, Hamlin FFA; third, Johnny Muehlstein, Avoca 4-H.  
Breeding Hogs Champion—Dawn Johnson, Hamlin FFA.  
Reserve Champion—Tommy Flenniken, Hamlin FFA.  
**PON DIVISION**  
Light Weight—First, Doyle Brinegar, Hamlin FFA; second, Hollis Lindsey, Avoca 4-H; third, Harry Prince, Lueders FFA; fourth, Randal Nauert, Avoca FFA; fifth, Randal Nauert, Avoca FFA; sixth, Royce Rogers, Anson 4-H; seventh, Royce Rogers, Anson 4-H; eighth, Leonard Goss, Anson 4-H; ninth, Bobby Jones, Stamford FFA.  
Capone—Don of Three—First, Harry Prince, Lueders FFA; second, John Muehlstein, Avoca 4-H; third, Doyle Brinegar, Hamlin FFA; fourth, Randal Nauert, Avoca FFA; fifth, Buddy Baird, Stamford FFA; sixth, John T. Treadwell, Stamford FFA; seventh, Gene Hines, Stamford FFA; eighth, Royce Rogers, Anson 4-H; ninth, Hollis Lindsey, Avoca 4-H; tenth, James Linn, Hamlin FFA.  
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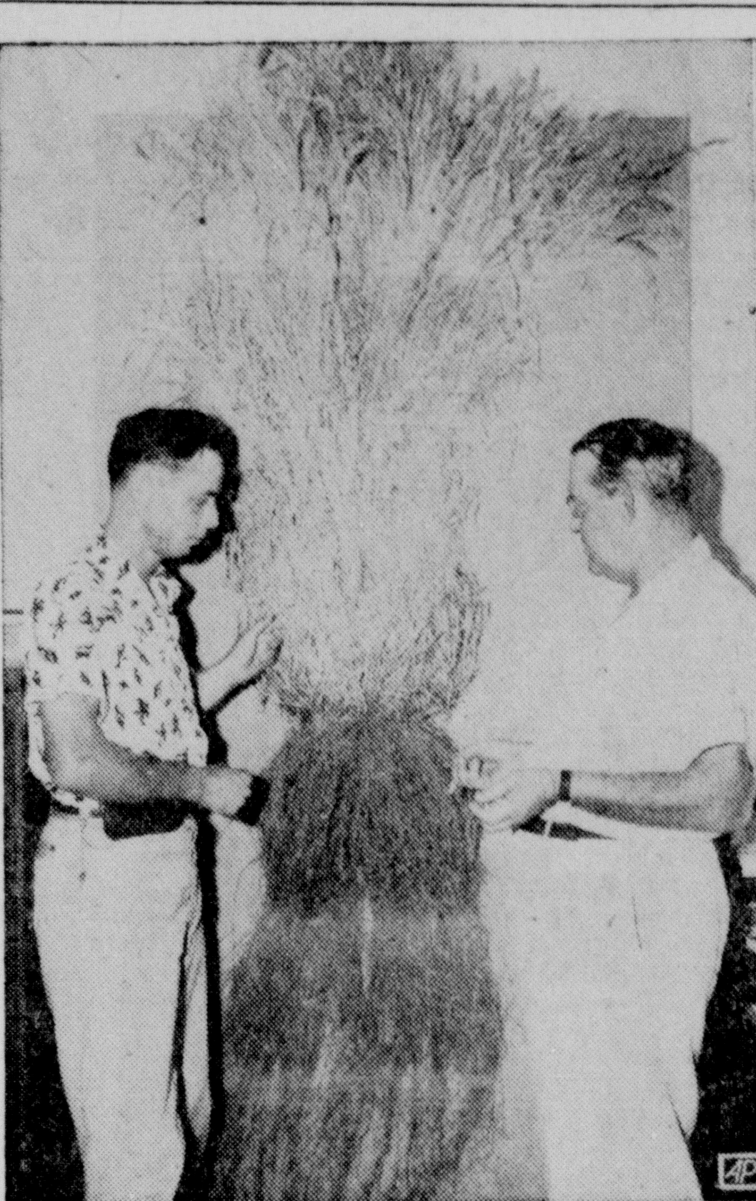
## Hamlin Memorial Hospital

Patients admitted to Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Butch Holland, medical, February 23; Mrs. Tom Hill, medical, February 23; James Ballard, medical, February 23; Craig Hester, medical, February 23; Tommy Hester, medical, February 23; Jimmy Hester, medical, February 23; Gary Hester, medical, February 23; Pat Cowan, medical, February 23; C. C. Calhoun, medical, February 24; Mary Margaret Maberry, medical, February 24; Marjorie Levens, medical, February 24; Mrs. Norris Blanton, ob., February 25; Shelia Levens, medical, February 26; Mrs. I. M. Roberts, medical, February 25; Mrs. R. R. Christian, medical, February 25; Max Cowan, medical, February 26; Doris Reed, medical, February 24; Carl Fincannon, medical, February 25; M. K. Milner, medical, February 26; John Linsky, medical, February 27; Mrs. O. H. Helms, medical, February 27; Mrs. E. A. Neves, medical, February 26; T. A. Moore, medical, February 27; Janice Moore, medical, February 27; Jo Anna Allen, medical, February 28; Blake Davis, medical, February 28; Bobby Hopper, medical, February 28; L. E. Rector, medical, March 1; Nona Hale, medical, March 1; Jackie Williams, medical, February 28; Gloria Hulse, medical, March 2; Mrs. J. H. Morris, medical, March 2.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. W. B. Bristow, February 26; Mrs. J. H. Morris, February 23; Bootsie McCristian, February 24; Mrs. W. B. Britton, February 23; Mrs. Benson Payne, February 24; Mrs. Augusta Schubert, February 25; Ruthie Mae Cooper, February 23; Sarah Martinez, February 28; Kathy Criswell, February 25; Mrs. J. P. Potts, February 27; Mrs. Jack Riddle, February 26; Mrs. W. E. Dunnam, February 27; Butch Holland, February 25; James Ballard, February 28; Craig Hester, February 27; Tommy Hester, February 27; Jimmy Hester, February 28; Gary Hester, February 28; Pat Cowan, March 1; C. C. Calhoun, February 25; Marjorie Levens, February 27; Mrs. Norris Blanton, February 28; Mrs. I. M. Roberts, February 28; Mrs. R. R. Christian, February 28; Max Cowan, February 28; Doris Reed, February 28; T. A. Moore, March 2; Janice Moore, March 2; Jo Anna Allen, March 1; LaDonna Goforth, March 1.

We don't know how fast our automobile will run. Neither do we know how far we can lean out of a tenth-story window.

Randal Nauert, Avoca FFA; ninth, Durdwood Mayfield, Anson 4-H; tenth, John Brinegar, Hamlin FFA.  
Medium Weight—First, James Linn, Hamlin FFA; second, Randal Nauert, Avoca FFA; third, Harry Prince, Lueders FFA; fourth, Hollis Lindsey, Avoca 4-H; fifth, Royce Rogers, Anson 4-H; sixth, John Treadwell, Stamford FFA; seventh and eighth, Gene Hines, Stamford FFA; ninth, Joe McWilliams, Anson 4-H; tenth, Delbert Wilson, Anson 4-H.  
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**SOUTH AFRICAN GRASS GROWN IN TEXAS**—Buffel, a native South African grass, grows equally well above and below ground, in South Texas. General Manager Sam Taylor of Rio Farms, Inc. (right), is shown examining grass plant with George Otey, Rio Farms crop demonstration chief. The plant is about nine feet long, half the growth being devoted to a root system which breaks up hard pan.

## People of Area Reminded of Activities Of Red Cross as Time for Drive Nears

County Chairman W. T. Johnson points to the work of the Red Cross in Texas during the past fiscal year of the organization:

A total of 226,552 Texans have been helped by the Red Cross between July 1, 1951, and June 30, 1952, a report to Governor Allan Shivers showed this week.

The report also revealed that much of the Red Cross aid was necessary because of disasters which struck various parts of the state. The Red Cross and state division of Defense and Disaster Relief worked together in these disaster areas, along with members of other state and private organizations.

In all, the Red Cross spent \$1,154,698 in financial assistance during the year. This help was given to members of the armed forces, veterans and, civilians and their families.

In addition, 285,797 instances occurred in which individuals and families were given general information and other limited services.

The Red Cross provided fami-

lies with food, clothing, shelter, medical and nursing care during 13 disasters which occurred in 17 counties. The organization also furnished long-term aid for extended medical care, rebuilding, and new job training, the report showed.

Also, as procurement agency for the national blood program, the Red Cross collected 66,659 pints of blood throughout the state. Of that, 63,263 pints were collected for defense needs and 3,396 pints were collected for civilian needs.

Among other services, it was reported to the governor, 37,306 persons in the state were trained in first aid. Another 24,660 were trained in swimming or life-saving, 14,060 were trained in Red Cross home nursing, and 290,180 were shown the value of first aid, accident prevention, and water safety training through talks, demonstrations, film showings and other public meetings.

Play in the night-time kills more people than hard work in the day-time.

## Louis Rector of McCaulley Dies at Hospital in Iraan

F. L. (Louis) Rector, 69-year-old long-time resident of the McCaulley community, southwest of Hamlin, died at the Iraan General Hospital last Wednesday night at 8:30 o'clock after a lingering illness.

Rector had operated a grocery store at McCaulley for many years.

Funeral services were conducted at the McCaulley Baptist Church Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Officiating were Rev. J. W. Price of Roscoe, and Rev. L. R. Stuckey of San Angelo, who recently left the McCaulley pastorate.

Interment was in the McCaulley Cemetery under the direction of Barrow Funeral Home of Hamlin.

Surviving the former McCaulley merchant are his wife, Mrs. F. L. Rector of McCaulley; and one daughter, Mrs. Leidon Clifton of Iraan.

## Hair-Dyeing Is Newest Fad at High School

What will be the next fad of the Hamlin High School students?

The latest is the new change of hair styles. It seems that the peroxide and dye factories are on the road to prosperity.

Don Crowley, the gray headed father seen in the junior play, has covered his gray spots with black dye. David Cowan and Dwan Rogers have exchanged toupees. David has the blond one and Dwan the black one.

The gray streaks seen in the hair of junior and senior girls could be from worrying about dates to the banquet! Do all of these dashing new redheads have dates?—H. H. S. Pied Piper.

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## Six New Members Initiated by Honor Society at School

National Honor Society of Hamlin High School initiated the new members in an assembly program in the high school auditorium.

President Don Johnson was in charge of the program. Each of the other four members gave a brief discussion on the four goals of the organization: Allene Reynolds, character; Maxine Crawford, scholarship; Nona White, leadership; and Marvin Johnson, service.

The candidates' names were called and they came to the platform, each receiving a candle. The new members include: Joe Ray Rosenbaum, senior; Doyle Brinegar, Don Crowley, Ann Holt, Margot Patterson and Carl Young, juniors.

The address was given by I. R. Huchingson, superintendent of schools. Miss Billie Jo Parrish, sponsor, gave the benediction and B. V. Newberry, principal and Bob Nunley, assistant principal, were platform guests.

When a person is polite enough to ask you how you are feeling, you should be polite enough not to bore him by telling him.

## Santa Fe Carloadings Running Below 1952

Santa Fe local carloadings for the week ending February 28, 1953, were 20,761 compared with 23,413 for the same week in 1952. Cars received from connections totaled 13,770 compared with 12,385 for the same week in 1952.

Total cars moved were 34,531 compared with 35,798 for the same week a year ago. Santa Fe handled a total of 35,399 cars in the preceding week of this year.

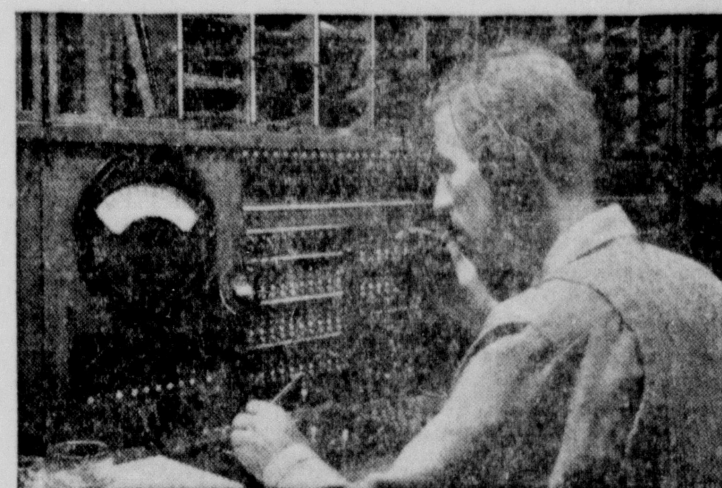
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# The Herald's Page for Women



## R. T. Spaulding Says Community's Assets Far Outnumber Its Liabilities

R. T. Spaulding's address to members of the Business and Professional Women's Club and guests at the high school cafeteria Tuesday evening stressed assets and liabilities of a community. Hamlin's compensating assets far outnumber the liabilities, according to his analysis of the present situation.

Shirley Nelson, sweet singer and high school junior, sang three numbers, including "Irish Eyes," and Mrs. Phil Hubert gave two

## Colored Women to Serve Sunday Dinner Again for Church

Serving again of a Sunday dinner at DePriest Colored School at 12:15 o'clock was planned when members of the Mission Society of Oak Grove Baptist Church met Monday afternoon in the home of the pastor, Rev. J. L. Johnson, with 12 members present.

Lesson for the month of March is prayer, and Monday afternoon's subject was "Having Confidence in the One to Whom We Pray." Sister G. Wells directed the lesson for the day.

Menu for the Sunday dinner, it was announced, will consist of fried chicken, green beans, mashed potatoes, beets, fruit salad, hot rolls, coffee, choice of cake or pie. Minimum price for the dinner is 50 cents, however, any amount above will be gladly received and appreciated. Proceeds from the series of dinners being served by the women are being used to purchase equipment for the new Oak Grove Baptist Church, now being constructed.

## Easter Motif Featured At Luncheon for Club in W. F. Martin Home

An Easter motif was featured when Mrs. W. F. Martin entertained members of the Fifty-Two Study Club at her ranch home northwest of Hamlin, at a buffet luncheon.

Arrangements of yellow daisies in Easter baskets filled with simulated grass were featured in the central table setting. Easter bunnies formed the centerpieces for each card table, and miniature Easter eggs formed place-cards or the attendants.

Guests at the luncheon included Mmes. Cecil Sellers, Charles Wade, Dean Witt, E. J. Hawkins, Gerald Young, Wesley Nail, Jack Richey, Fred B. Moore Jr., Gene Vestmoreland, Ned Moore, Byron Bell, Wilson Brannon, Delma Ibelburne, Gean Witt and S. C. Ferguson Jr.

## Hamlin Garden Club Hears Friday Program

Twenty members were present when the Hamlin Garden Club met last Friday afternoon at the first Baptist Church. Mmes. A. T. York and E. J. Hawkins were hostesses for the gathering.

Mrs. Hawkins was leader for the program, which featured the following topics: "Perennials" by Mrs. A. G. Irvin; "Ornamental Fines" by Mrs. F. B. Moore; "Raising Beautiful Glads" by Mrs. Harold Bonner; and "Plant Now Suggestions" by Mrs. Carl Murrell.

## Two New Members Introduced at Meeting Of Friendship Club

Mmes. T. W. Flenniken and H. E. Brown presented a program on "What You Need to Know About Tuberculosis" to members of the Friendship Home Demonstration Club at the oil mill guest house. Hostesses for the meeting were Mmes. Sol Branscum and Ed Branscum.

Mrs. Ray Johnson read the constitution and by-laws of the Texas Home Demonstration Association for 1953.

Two new members were introduced to the club. They are Mrs. Paul Collins and Mrs. Buck Scott. Cookies and coffee were served to the following: Mmes. Ray Johnson, H. E. Johnson, T. W. Flenniken, J. E. Johnson, M. S. Johnson, John Hix, R. S. Johnson June Jones, Grady Smith, Elbert Payne, Buck Scott, Paul Collins and the hostesses.

## Good Neighbor Club Hears Program on Knowledge of TB

"What You Need to Know About TB" was the topic for discussion when members of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday afternoon at the community center at Nienda. Mrs. Doris Westmoreland and Mrs. Adele Kelley were hostesses.

A song was sung to open the meeting, followed by a game. Mrs. Winnie Ueckert and Mrs. Tommy Hodnett had charge of the program concerning tuberculosis.

Cake and coffee were served to the following attendants: Mmes. Mildred Weaver, Tommy Hodnett, Winnie Ueckert, Addie Mae Kelley, Alice Westmoreland, Billie Brown, Oletha Hodnett, Fayrene Weaver, Inez McCoy, Viva Joiner and the hostesses.

Next meeting of the Good Neighbor Club will be Tuesday, March 10, with Mmes. Oletha Hodnett and Fayrene Weaver as hostesses.

## R. H. Cooleys Have All of Children Home For Family Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooley had all of their children home with them Sunday, February 22, including 10 children and 15 grandchildren. None of the immediate family has died.

Those present were Elvin Cooley, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Cooley and son, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Bagley and children, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Renfro and children, all of Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cooley and family of Hawley; Mr. and Mrs. Junior Talbott of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cooley and children of O'Donnell; Rev. and Mrs. Alvis Cooley and children of White Deer; Mr. and Mrs. Slim Cooley and children of Clovis, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Dalgarn of Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Besides the children, those present for the home-coming were Mrs. H. C. Walters and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cooley and children, all of Hawley.

### THE SURE CURE.

"What do you take for your insomnia?"  
"A shot of bourbon at regular intervals."  
"Does that make you sleep?"  
"No, but it makes me happy to stay awake."



MOTOR SPORT QUEEN—Carolyn Wyrn of Tulia, always will remember this February 21st to March 1st period for her reign as queen of the World Motor Sport Show in New York's Madison Square Garden.

## Betty Coker and Jack Davis Married in Sunday Afternoon Rites at Hamlin

Betty Coker and Jack Davis of Lubbock were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben McNeely, in Hamlin Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Rev. J. S. Sheppard, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, performed the single ring service.

The bride, former resident of Hamlin, has been employed in Lubbock for several months. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis of Hamlin, former residents of Lockney.

The bride's dress was powder blue linen with white and navy accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Eulie Lee Burckley was bride's-maid. She wore a dusty rose suit with navy accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations. Best man was L. A. (Buddy) Jones of Hamlin.

The bride's mother wore a gray gabardine suit with a white carnation corsage. The groom's mother's dress was a two-piece cocoa brown poplin with dark brown accessories, and she wore a white carnation corsage.

The bride attended schools in Lockney and Slaton before entering the Merchant Marines in World War II. He was called into the Army and spent 14 months in Korea, returning to the states August 13, 1952. He returned to his old job as brakeman on the Santa Fe Railway, and was recently promoted to conductor.

Guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Ben McNeely, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Davis and son, Perry, and daughter, Nola, of Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Jack McNeely and son of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Whitfield and daughters, Judy and Cynthia, and Mrs. Alvin Nichols of Lockney; May Jo Coker of Lubbock, daughter of the bride.

## Mrs. Ernest Jenkins Gives Book Review At Sorority Meeting

Program for the day was a book review by Mrs. Ernest Jenkins when members of the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Stanley Carmichael in a regular session.

Mrs. Jenkins, an inactive Beta Sigma Phi member, was introduced by Mrs. Austin Poe. She came as a courtesy of the Robin's Kin Blue Bird group of the Camp Fire Girls, of which she is a leader. The Robin's Kin group is sponsored by the sorority. Mrs. Jenkins reviewed "A Man Called Peter" by Catherine Marshall.

Mrs. Carmichael served a sandwich plate to the following members and pledges: Mmes. S. C. Ferguson Jr., Jim Ballard, Wayland Fuqua, C. L. Howard, W. T. Johnson, Bob Nunley, E. D. Perrin, George Poe, Cliff Reynolds Jr., M. L. Smith, Jerry Waggoner, Toby Williams, Austin Poe, C. Weldon Griggs, John Taylor and Miss Billie Jo Parrish.

Next meeting of the sorority will be March 12 in the home of Mrs. Weldon Carlton.

## First Baptist Junior Girls' Auxiliary Goes On Mission Tour

Members of the Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church went on a community missions tour Monday afternoon following their meeting at the church.

Bunny Patterson called the meeting to order, and Elaine Riley led in prayer. The roll was called by Brenda Fincannon.

The girls visited shut-ins and others on their tour. They sang songs as part of their visitation. Mrs. Thomas Ferguson took pictures of the group.

After the tour, refreshments of ice cream were served to the following girls: Lillie Sue Austin, Geneva and Leona Brinegar, Judy Parker, Sandra Helms, Glenda Wright, Carol Jo Simpson, Martha Jane Gage, Brenda Hargrove, Brenda Fincannon, Libby Johnson, Dolores and Peggy Killion, Bunny Patterson, Rebecca Ferguson, Kay Shelburne, Madeline Wharton, Jo Ann Helms, Reta Maynard, Elaine Riley and Brenda Gould, and Mmes. J. A. Simpson and Thomas Ferguson.

## District Camp Fire Girl Leader to Be at Meets

Elmore Smith, executive for the Stamford District of Camp Fire Girls, will be in Hamlin next Tuesday for conferences with leaders and others about program activities for the ensuing months. A feature of the conferences will be discussion of plans for summer camps for the girls of this section, definite date for which has not yet been set.

Leaders of the five Hamlin Camp Fire Girls units will meet Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the hut in West Hamlin. At 7:30 p. m. the board of the Hamlin group will meet at the oil mill guest house.

There is nothing better than a balanced budget except a surplus.

## Camp Fire Girls to Sell Candy for Camp Fund

Members of the Camp Fire Girl troops in Hamlin are helping to defray their expenses to summer camp by selling boxed candy in the city. Beginning this week and continuing for three weeks, the sales are being conducted by all groups of the girls.

The girl selling the most candy during the three-week period will be awarded a free trip to summer camp, leaders of the Camp Fire Girls announce.

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## AROUND THE COUNTY

By Jimmie Lou Waincott,  
Home Demonstration Agent.

Gardening has been the main topic all over Jones County for the last few weeks. The demonstration I have been giving is on "Let's Grow a Garden!" This demonstration includes planning the garden, preparation of soil, seed selection and seed treatment.

I have just received a release along this line that will be of interest to all gardeners. The report follows:

For the past few years the Agricultural Experiment Station at Texas A. & M. College has been doing research in the variety of pickling cucumbers suitable for growing in the state. H. C. Mohr and R. F. Cain in the department of horticulture report the evaluation of some of the most recently developed varieties in comparison with others now grown extensively in Texas.

Because they learned early that the national pickling and other varieties developed for pickling cucumber production in the North have three defects when grown in the South—they do not give large enough yields; the cucumbers turn orange rapidly when maturing; and they are susceptible to downy mildew diseases.

In 1950 researchers planted 16 varieties in a randomized block with four replications. Each plot consisted of 16 hills space three feet apart in the row, with rows six feet apart. In 1951 five of the more promising varieties were tested, and a similar trial in 1952. Samples from each variety planted in 1950 were pickled in the horticulture processing laboratory and evaluated, rated on the basis of perfection, with shape, color and firmness being the principal factors considered.

The downy mildew resistant varieties Magnolia, Robin 40 and S. C. 10 had higher yields whether or not this disease was present.

S. C. 10 and Robin 40 appear to be less susceptible to fruit deformities associated with drouth than do Magnolia, Earliest of All and York State Pickling.

S. C. 10 appears to be a promising parent for the development of

a superior variety. Its principal deviation from the ideal pickling is excessive length. Some of you may want to try some of these cucumber varieties.

The W. H. Kelsos of the Commerce community are building a new home. Mrs. Kelso is the kitchen demonstrator for her Home Demonstration Club, so this is what especially interested me.

Some of the things that Mrs. Kelso is planning to have in her kitchen are revolving shelves in the corner of the cabinet, a lap-board so that she can sit down and do part of her work. Another feature that will make it even handier, the shelves are going to be built to fit what she has to do in them; in other words, narrow half shelves for cups, small bowls, and tall shelves for tall objects. She also is making her pantry a nice spot in her kitchen. In the pantry she will have a shelf for her canner, and then some shelves built for pint jars and cans, and some for quart jars.

Mrs. Kelso is taller than the average person, so her cabinet is being built so that it is the best height for her to do her work.

In case some of you are interested in some of these plans, I have the blueprints for these kitchen cabinet details.

### San Angelo Nurses Talk to HHS Girls

To discuss the present possibilities of nursing as a profession, the junior and senior girls met in the high school auditorium with Misses Jones and Sheets, nurses from the Shannon Memorial Hospital, San Angelo. Each student was given a pamphlet from the Shannon School of Nursing.

The discussion was opened by Miss Jones who explained the arrangements made at Shannon for girls interested in nursing, and Miss Sheets followed her by telling of the different activities and social life of the students.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Layton of Midland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dickey this week.

### Hamlin Homemakers Will Attend State Confab at San Antonio

Hamlin chapter of the Future Homemakers of America will be represented by at least two delegates when the Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America state meeting is held at San Antonio April 30 through May 2. The delegates and alternates were named when the local chapter met recently.

The Texas delegations from the various chapters of FHA will convene for the purpose of installing the 1953-54 officers and provide leadership opportunities. State headquarters will be the Plaza Hotel.

Theme for the state meeting is "Preserving Our American Heritage." Dr. R. L. Sutherland, director, and Dr. Bernice Moore, consultant from Hogg Foundation, have been invited to work with the group.

On Friday night, May 1, there will be an informal supper at the municipal auditorium in San Antonio. Theme of the supper and program will be "Mardi Gras," and the program will be furnished by talented FHA members.

Those named to represent the Hamlin chapter of FHA are Janice Agnew and Reba Roland. Alternates are Mary Williamson and Jeannette Adams.

### Hamlin B&PW Club Has Part in Awarding First New Fellowship

Hamlin's Business and Professional Women's Club had a definite part in the awarding of the first fellowship from the Minnie L. Maffett Scientific Fellowship Fund, which was announced this week by the Texas Federation of the Business and Professional Women's Clubs. Mrs. E. M. Wilson, president of the local club, said the recipient is well known to this area.

Dr. Marjorie Sewell, a native of Abilene, who for more than two years, has been a church medical missionary in South Rhodesia, British Africa, received the award.

Dr. Sewell has enrolled in Tulane University Medical School at New Orleans, for a year's study of tropical diseases financed by the \$2,600 fellowship, and will return to South Rhodesia Nhowe Mission of the Church of Christ to resume her work with the natives.

Named in honor of Dr. Minnie L. Maffett, physician and surgeon of Dallas, first president of the Texas Federation of B&PW Clubs, the fellowship funds was started in a small way seven years ago. By voluntary donations from clubs of the state, from individuals and friends of Dr. Maffett, the capital has reached some \$30,000. At a recent state board meeting, the Texas Federation voted to set a maximum goal of \$50,000 for the fund and to put on a drive to reach this maximum as soon as possible. Only the interest on the fund is awarded for study.

The husband who doesn't tell his wife everything probably reasons that what she doesn't know won't hurt him.



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SINGIN' SADDLE—(BUILT-IN RADIO)—Jim Franklin of San Angelo is shown here tuning in a saddle radio that should be a great comfort to cowboys without guitars. Batteries are carried in saddle pockets.

### Rotary and Lions Clubs Meet at School Wednesday

As part of their observance of Public School Week, members of the Hamlin Rotary and Lions Clubs met Wednesday at noon in joint session at Hamlin High School for their weekly luncheons.

Nearly 100 men of the two civic clubs went through the "chow line" at the cafeteria, where turkey and dressing and the trimmings were served.

After the meal, the group went to the auditorium, where a program was presented by students of the high school.

After student-led group singing and invocation, the 20-member Green-and-White Choraliers rendered several musical numbers under the direction of Walter Chalcraft. Skits from the senior play to be presented this (Friday) evening teased the attendants toward seeing the annual play.

The government has published a bulletin on "How to Treat a Black Eye." More useful would be one on how to explain it.

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Tuesday and Wednesday,  
March 10-11—

### "OUTPOST MALAYA"

with

CLAUDETTE COLBERT  
and JACK HAWKINS

### McCAULEY NEWS

Ruby Perryman, Correspondent

McCauley High School basketball girls won two and lost one game during the past week. The Westbrook girls defeated the McCauley girls 43 to 37 at McCauley, then the local girls came back to trim the Westbrook crew by 45 to 32 score. Saturday night at Roscoe the McCauley girls trimmed the Roscoe team by a 45 to 32 count.

McCauley basketball girls go today to the regional meet at Brownwood. They play at 9:15 o'clock this (Friday) morning. No school will be held today.

Joe Forbes was in McCauley Monday.

Luther Rector was rushed to the hospital at Hamlin Saturday night.

Mrs. G. T. McCasland and sons of Midland visited with her parents here over the week-end.

Mrs. J. B. Hopper, Mrs. Harold Rushing and son and Robert Earl Faught of Brownfield spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Faught.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gibson have a new grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Gibson of Shallowater in the Rotan hospital at 3:00 o'clock Saturday. The young man weighed seven and one-half pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Cunningham and children of Albuquerque, New Mexico, and Mrs. John Clark and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. Beach Jones over the week-end.

Mrs. L. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. R. Hennington and Ruby Hennington attended the funeral of Mrs. Smith's brother, Elmore Roe of Grand Prairie. Burial was Sunday afternoon at Seymour.

Bryan Hennington spent the week-end at McCauley. He attended the basketball game Saturday night with Donnie Cox.

The people of McCauley community mourn the passing of Louis Rector, who has lived here for many years, operating a grocery store.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Cook's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Powell of Sweetwater, spent Sunday with them.

Mrs. Dave Maberry has an oil well over on the J. D. Maberry place north of the Celotex mill.

### Modern Cafeteria Facilities Help Handle Many Students Fast

Modern facilities for handling scores of hungry school children in the shortest length of time are available at the three Hamlin School cafeterias. Piping hot dishes are served within a matter of seconds by modern group feeding methods.

Menus for the coming week, typical of those served regularly at three buildings, follow:

Monday—Barbecued weiners, lima beans, carrot strips, bread, hot doughnuts, milk.

Tuesday—Pimento-cheese sandwiches, fruit jello, potato chips, peanut butter and crackers, milk and cookies.

Wednesday—Turkey and dressing, green beans and potatoes, apple sauce, milk and ice cream.

Thursday—Frito pie, mashed potatoes, green salad, apple sauce, bread, milk and ice cream.

Friday—Macaroni and cheese, spinach, fried potatoes, pickles, stewed prunes, cornbread and milk.

### UNINTELLIGIBLE.

Rastus—"Ah wants a divorce. Can't stand livin' wif dat woman nohow. She jes' talk, talk, talk night and day."

Lavvyer—"What does she talk about?"

Rastus—"She doan say!"

### Seniors and Third Graders Lead on DePriest Honor Roll

Seniors led for the high school and third graders for the elementary groups in students making the honor roll for the fifth six-week period at DePriest Colored School, according to the lists released this week by Principal E. S. Morgan.

Seniors had four students on the honor roll, followed by three for sophomores. The third graders placed five on the coveted roll.

Complete honor roll for the six-week period just closed follows:

Third Grade—Bertha May Douglas, Mary Jo Ervine, Glenda Fay Lewis, Sarah Oliver and Vera Johnson.

Fifth Grade—Fred Thompson Jr. and Juanita Douglas.

Seventh Grade—Albert Douglas Jr.

Eighth Grade—Minnie Brown, Janie Brown, Billy Roy Turner and Norma Jean Ervine.

Tenth Grade—Joyce Fay Andrews, Clementine Turner and Bonita Mayfield.

Eleventh and Twelfth Grades—Earl Gardner, Ola Mae Douglas, Charles Gardner and John Reed Mayfield.

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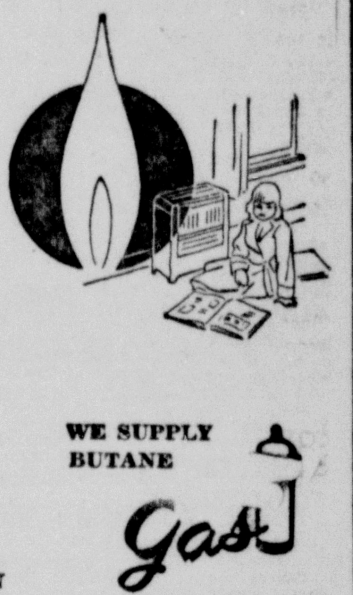
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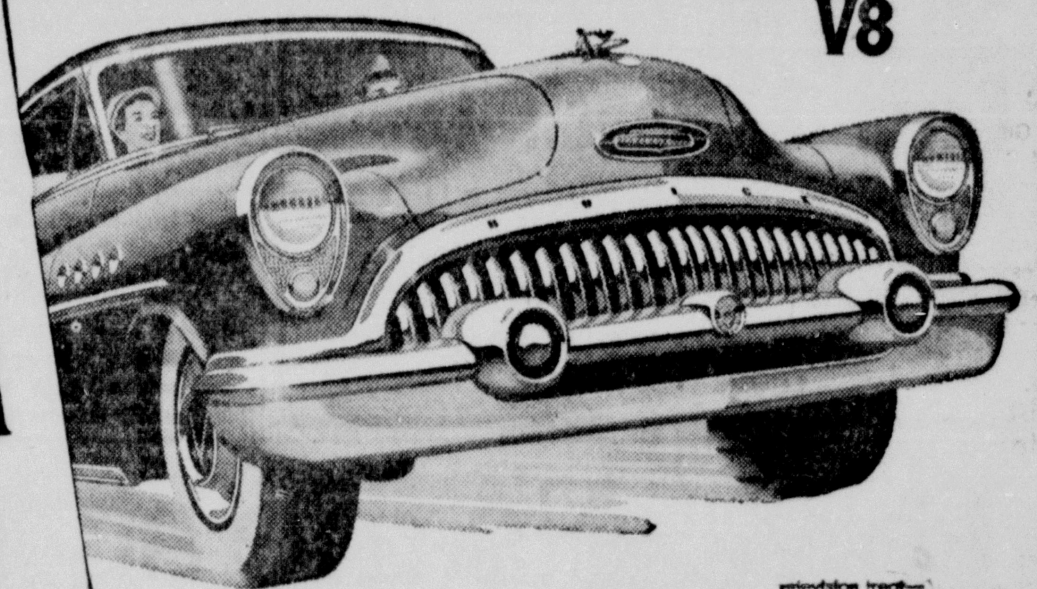
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THE HAMLIN HERALD





# The Herald's Page of Sports



## Munday Boxers Win Tourney Trophy on Coin Flip After Tie

### Hamlin Glovers Win Three Events In Friday Finals

Boxers from Hamlin and Munday tied for team honors in the finals of the two-day invitation boxing tournament staged last week at Hamlin High School gymnasium staged Friday night. But the Munday crew took the team trophy home after a flip of a coin to decide the winner.

The two teams had three winners in the 12-class matches for high honors. Graham boxers took two finals events, Breckenridge won one, Anson took two events, and Rotan boxers won two.

The preliminaries were staged last Tuesday night, and the semi-finals and finals were conducted Friday night before a record crowd estimated at around 500.

Results of the Friday night fights by events follow:

#### SEMI-FINALS

O. C. Parker, 75, of Munday, defeated George Deal, 75, of Hamlin.

Jerry Smith, 85, of Munday, won by a knock-out in one minute and 15 seconds of the first round over Joe Deal, 85, of Hamlin.

James Goodwin, 85, of Munday, defeated Allen Leonard, 85, of Hamlin.

Billy Kelly, 100, of Hamlin, defeated Jerry Enlow, 100, of Graham.

Dudley Griggs, 75, of Hamlin, defeated Tommy Miller, 75, of Munday.

Pete Rister, 100, of Munday, defeated Mike Carter, 100, of Rotan.

Lane Fletcher, 115, of Hamlin, defeated Edgar Holly, 115, of Graham.

Bobby Archer, 125, of Anson, won by a technical knock-out over Harvey Pomeroy, 125, of Breckenridge. Pomeroy was unable to answer the bell at the start of the third round.

Bobby Wedeking, 125, of Anson, defeated Jim Ashley, 125, of Rotan.

Dan Benthlow, 145, of Graham, won by a technical knock-out over Billy Hollingsworth, 145, of Munday, in 40 seconds of the second round.

Kent Westbrook, light heavyweight of Rotan, won by a technical knock-out in 35 seconds of the second round over Melvin Hunt of Hamlin.

George Bailey of Graham defeated Gerald Rose of Rotan.

#### FINALS

O. C. Parker, 75, of Munday, defeated Dudley Griggs, 75, of Hamlin.

**HAMLIN V.F.W. POST NO. 6014**

V. F. W. Head-Meets at quarters on the First and Third Tuesday Nights at 8:00 o'clock.

### Hamlin Piperettes Drop Consolation to Rotan at Tourney

After losing their first round game to the Merkel High School Badgerettes, the Hamlin Piperettes dropped the consolation game to Rotan in the District 5-AA championship tournament staged at Colorado City.

Colorado City girls basketball team won its second straight district title by defeating the Merkel crew 49 to 41 in the finals.

Merkel edged past the Hamlin girls in the first round tilt by a 49 to 41 count. Louise Black of Merkel sank 26 points in the opener, with Ella Mae Turner of Hamlin leading the Piperettes with 18 markers.

In the consolation match Rotan defeated Hamlin by a 36 to 22 score. Dess Godwin and Anita Bowen made 15 and 14 points respectively for Rotan, and Ella Mae Turner again led the Hamlin scoring with 12 points.

#### AGELESS WOMAN

A doctor asked the woman patient her age.

"I never tell anyone my age," she answered coyly. "But as a matter of fact, I've just reached twenty-one."

"Indeed," said the doctor, "what detained you?"

Jerry Smith, 85, of Munday, defeated James Goodwin, 85, of Munday.

Billy Newsome, 85, of Graham, defeated Roy Williams, 85, of Hamlin.

Billy Kelly, 100, of Hamlin, won by a knock-out in one minute 28 seconds of the second round over Pete Rister, 100, of Munday.

Tranny Grounds, 112, of Breckenridge defeated Bobby Burton, 112, of Graham.

Lane Fletcher, 115, of Hamlin, defeated Jerry Black, 115, of Rotan.

Bobby Wedeking, 125, of Anson, won by a technical knock-out in one minute 15 seconds of the second round over Bobby Archer, 125, of Anson.

Shirley Rinker, 135, of Graham, defeated Dan Watts, 135, of Anson.

Billy Hollingsworth, 145, of Munday, won by a technical knock-out in one minute five seconds of the third round over Don Lewis, 145, of Rotan.

Jim Bradshaw, 155, of Anson, defeated Staton Neal, 155, of Anson.

Kent Westbrook of Rotan won by a technical knock-out over George Bailey of Graham.

Edward Volez, heavyweight, of Rotan won by a technical knock-out in one minute 25 seconds of first round over Tadpole Wylie, heavyweight, of Breckenridge.

### McCaulley Girls Play in Regional Tourney Today

McCaulley High School's ram-paging girls' basketball team will play in the regional basketball tournament today at Brownwood as the winner of District 21-B in the recent basketball race for this area.

The girls from the Fisher County school, eight miles southwest of Hamlin, will play in their first round in the Brownwood skirmish at 9:15 this (Friday) morning, school officials were advised first of the week. Their opponent could not be learned by The Herald.

No school is being held in the McCaulley institution today in order to permit students to attend the regional play, according to announcement by Superintendent T. E. Green.

McCaulley trimmed Westbrook girls 45 to 32 in the finals of the District 51-B girls' basketball play-off. The tilt was played in the Roscoe High School gymnasium.

Palma Jean Lewis led the victors by netting 19 points, while Westbrook's Cook tallied 19 for the losers.

The two teams went to the third contest in a best of three series after Westbrook captured the first game by a 44 to 37 score and McCaulley took the second by a 43 to 30 count.

### Stamford Cagers Lose To Dumas in Region

Stamford High School's District 5-AA basketball champions, the Bulldogs, took a beating in the first game of the Region 1-AA basketball tournament last Saturday at Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

Stamford lost a tough match to the Dumas High School Demons by a count of 60 to 46.

The Bulldogs started out like a house-afire, taking 7 to 2 lead in the first five minutes of play, and leading 14 to 8 at the quarter. However, the Stamford boys failed to loop a goal in the second period, and the half ended with Dumas leading 30 to 21.

Silence may be the only argument that can't be answered, but most people would rather talk than win an argument.



DOAKER TO CAVORT AS PRO AGAIN IN FALL—Doak Walker (left), Detroit Lions professional football team ace who is an all-time SMU great, is shown signing a two-year contract as General Manager W. Nicholas Kerbow points out the dotted line. Walker reportedly will receive \$15,000 a year.

### Hamlin Area People Watch Legislation Affecting Safety Inspection Law Status

Hamlin area people are watching with interest the outcome of legislation underway in Austin in connection with the safety inspection law for automobiles.

Texas Legislature now in session will soon decide the fate of the motor vehicle inspection law. Bills have been introduced in both houses to repeal this law. Senator John Bell of Cuero and Representative D. H. Buchanan of Longview, along with 15 other co-authors, have introduced bills to revise and make more workable the inspection law.

This law got its first trial last year. For the first time in Texas history, all automobiles were checked for mechanical defects—bad brakes, faulty headlights and worn steering gears were corrected. The result: Statistics show the year 1952 reversed a long trend by becoming a safer year for motorists in Texas. As of January 30 of this year, the records of the Department of Public Safety revealed that 65 less persons were killed on Texas highways and streets than in 1951. In the same time our traffic mileage was increased by nine per cent. For the first time in over 15 years, traffic fatalities fell below seven persons per 100,000,000 vehicle miles traveled.

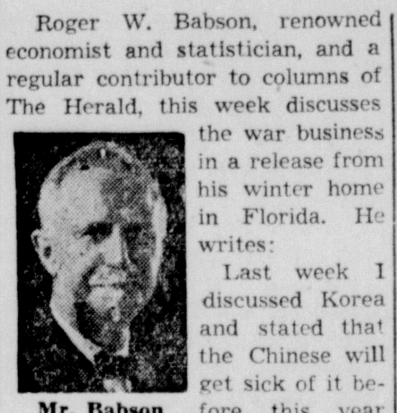
Despite the law's many imperfections, its first year of operations has contributed to the reduction of our traffic fatalities. Such a record deserves more than repeal at the hands of the Legislature, declare those who have inspection law.

Other states—like Pennsylvania, New Jersey, etc., which have had inspection laws for years—have death rates 40 to 50 per cent below Texas' traffic toll. This is persuasive evidence that the inspection principle, properly administered and diligently enforced, can abet the cause of saving human life. The Legislature should keep this in mind and not be moved by considerations of political expediency. A vote against the inspection law might win some votes, but it will lose lives—and all legislators, we are sure, recognize that they must sooner or later find solutions to our traffic toll or else face the severe wrath of the public.

House bill 39 by Representative Buchanan and Senate Bill 9 by Senator John Bell are honest attempts to correct the obvious deficiencies of the present law, and at the same time, preserve for Texans this life-saving measure. These two bills remove the requirement that a car must be inspected before it can be registered. The Bell and Buchanan bills would also confine the inspection to only five items on the motor vehicle, namely: brakes, headlights, steering mechanism, horn and windshield wipers. The actual inspection of these five items would, under this proposed revision, be confined to the standards set out by the uniform traffic code law. These three changes will give to Texas a workable inspection law.

Mrs. Paul Hitt of Fort Worth is spending a few days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dickey.

### Roger Babson Declares Korean War to Be Settled This Year by Negotiation



Mr. Babson

Roger W. Babson, renowned economist and statistician, and a regular contributor to columns of The Herald, this week discusses the war business in a release from his winter home in Florida. He writes:

Last week I discussed Korea and stated that the Chinese will get sick of it before this year end. As we are already tired of the conflict, this means that 1953 will see a Korean peace, with our boys coming home again.

For the above we all should be thankful; but the question arises as to how this will affect your job. Surely both the railroads and many industries are now profiting greatly by the Korean War. What will happen to them when our boys withdraw?

First, let us realize that our boys cannot withdraw until the South Koreans are trained and equipped to take their places. This means that it may be 1954 before our boys get back. However, it may not reduce the number of new draftees. With only about 531,000 men in Korea, over 1,000,000 new recruits each year are needed to merely provide replacements in our total military forces.

must make it popular for South Koreans to serve in their army and replace the Allied troops.

Most of the industrial activity today is not due to the Korean conflict, but to preparing for World War III. This will continue to give full employment for from six to 12 months more. Furthermore, the making of military supplies may become a new and permanent industry for some years ahead. If so, no efficient workers need suffer this year from an ending of the Korean War.

Some companies may be affected by President Eisenhower's determination to avoid overlapping military orders and reducing costs. This could mean smaller profits to some, which would make them reduce their labor forces and cause some unemployment in certain communities. But only the latest and least efficient employees need be laid off.

The above means that several railroads may be hurt by peace in the Pacific; but most industrial plants have nothing now to fear. The new administration will insist on lower costs and no rush work or overtime. This means that manufacturers and wage-workers must be more efficient.

Frankly, I feel that this will be a good thing all around. Our "riding high and handsome" the past few years was leading to a bad fall for us all. Now the new policy could give manufacturers and wage-workers an opportunity to adjust themselves gradually to the new conditions. I visualize slowly declining business, but not panicky. More advertising will be found to be the best cushion.

#### OLD CRONIES.

He—"Did you say you knew Art?"

She—"Art who?"

He—"Artesian."

She—"Oh, yes, I knew Artesian well."

### Quail Hunters of Area Cooperate in Wildlife Restoration

Several quail hunters of the Hamlin area are reported to have cooperated with the wildlife restoration division of the Texas Game and Fish Commission by sending in quail wings during the past quail season.

Director of the restoration division said the wings will show the percentage of young birds as compared with old birds. Furthermore, the proportion of hens and cocks was recorded by those who collected the wings. The data, according to the director, will be particularly timely since the fall shoot was generally poor in Texas. This apparently was because the quail were at the bottom of the cycle.

The director estimated that 5,000 quail wings have been received at the commission's headquarters at Austin. Last year the receipts were 11,553 wings. Then the quail shoot was good in several regions, particularly in the Panhandle where the quail reached the peak of the cycle. From the harvest, 4,336 wings were sent in by sportsmen in the Panhandle region.

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"The wool for this suit I am wearing," observed Smith, "was grown in Wyoming. The cloth was woven in Massachusetts. The thread came from England, made from cotton grown in Texas. The suit was made in Chicago, and I bought it in San Francisco."

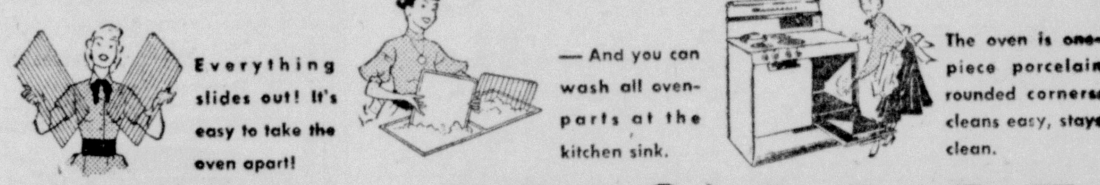
"So what?" commented his companion. "I don't see anything so remarkable in that."

"But isn't it wonderful," continued Smith, "that so many people can make a living out of something I haven't paid for?"

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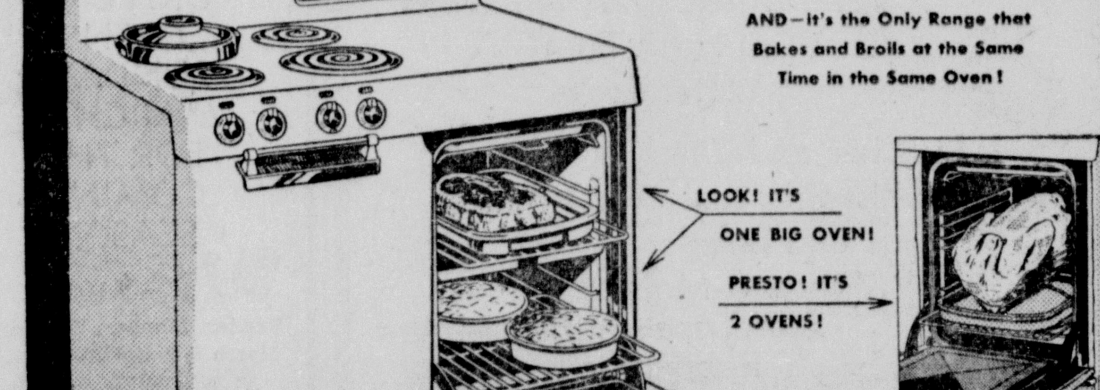
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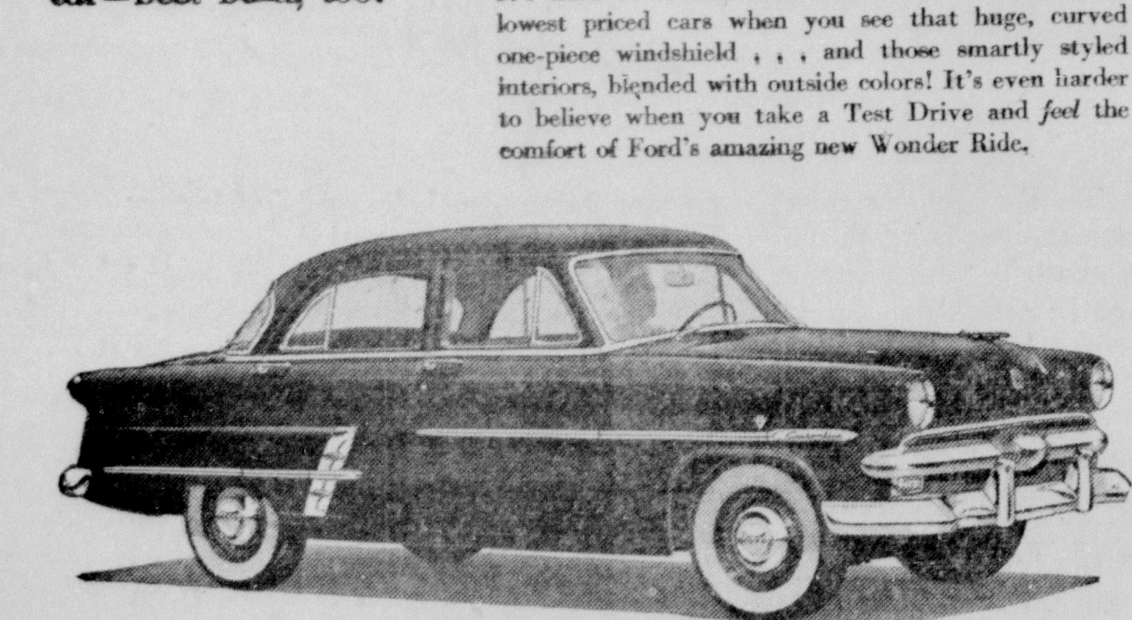
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## Two Registrants From Hamlin Area Sent to Fort Sill

Two Hamlin registrants from the Hamlin area were among the nineteen draftees sent last week-end from the three-county draft board at Anson into the military service. The boys from Haskell, Throckmorton and Jones Counties were received at the Abilene induction office, and boarded a chartered bus for Fort Sill, Oklahoma, Friday night.

Ordered to Fort Sill were: Melvin Earl Andrews of Albany, Charles Robert Dancum of Anson, Tommy Joe Ballard of Haskell, Joseph Gordon Beck of Anson, Immy Louis Bledsoe of Haskell, Joe Dwain Brown of Snyder, Bobby Carrell of Weinert, David Lee Gibson of Lockhart, Truman Godwin Hagler of Hamlin, Edward Lee Harris of Caldwell, James Lee King of Anson, Jack Lansing Lindsey of Avoca, Robert Grover Morris of Moran, Alton George Peiser of Haskell, Kenneth Lorain Quatlebaum of Lockney, Billy Joe Robertson of Weinert, Bobby Wayne Scifres of Hamlin, Bruce Davis West of Anson, and Bobby Gene Woods of Albany.

Of one thing we are certain—if we don't crush war, war will crush us.

## IT'S THE LAW IN TEXAS ...

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### STATUTES DIVIDE SEPARATE ESTATE OF INTESTATE PERSON.

Previous court cases have dealt with the distribution of the community estate where persons die intestate (without a will); also with division of the separate property of such a person who leaves a surviving husband or wife.

Where there is no surviving spouse, the process of dividing the separate estate among the rightful heirs becomes even more complicated, especially in the case where no children survive.

If there are children of their descendants surviving, they inherit the entire separate estate of the deceased, both personal property and real estate.

Regardless of whether the property involved is considered separate or community property, any portion of an estate going to children and their descendants is divided "per stirpes."

That is, if you should have two children and four grandchildren surviving, the latter four being the offspring of one previously deceased child, any portion of an estate going to such children and descendants would be divided into

three equal parts only. Each of the two surviving children would receive one full share, while the four grandchildren would divide the remaining share equally between themselves.

When a person dies intestate and leaves neither spouse nor children surviving, the entire estate is divided equally between the father and mother of the deceased, if both survive.

If only one parent survives and there are brothers and sisters of the deceased (or their descendants) also survive, then the parent inherits one-half of the separate estate and the remaining one-half is divided "per stirpes" among the brothers and sisters and their descendants.

Should one parent survive and there be no brothers and sisters or their descendants, then the parent would be entitled to all of the estate.

Similarly, where there is no surviving parent, but there are surviving brothers and sisters or their descendants, the entire estate would go to such brothers and sisters or their descendants.

If there are no survivors in any of the above categories, the separate property of the deceased is divided into two equal portions, one portion going to paternal grandparents and their descendants and the other going to maternal grandparents and their descendants.

Of course, by making a will a person may select the exact individuals who are to receive his estate upon his death.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)



**OLYMPICS QUEEN**—Gloria Laredo, 19, and a Southern Methodist University student, will reign as queen over the twenty-first annual Border Olympics to be staged at Laredo March 18 and 14.

### TURN ABOUT.

Judge—"What happened after the prisoner gave you the first blow?"

Witness—"He gave me a third one."

Judge—"You mean the second one?"

Witness—"No, I gave him the second one."

## John K. Huckaby Will Go to Paris on Rotary Fellowship

When John K. Huckaby goes abroad this fall for post-graduate work, Hamlin Rotary Club will have a very personal interest in the Rotan young man.

A year of study in Paris—or if he prefers Strasbourg or Mainz—is the pleasant prospect next year for young Huckaby, 25, graduate assistant in the department of history at Ohio State University at Columbus, Ohio.

Huckaby, who lives at 129 Chittenden Avenue in Columbus, was notified this week that he has been awarded a fellowship by Rotary International for advanced study abroad in 1953-54. The grants, which went to 95 outstanding graduate students from 20 countries, range from \$1,800 to \$3,400. Huckaby has not been informed of the amount of his grant, he said.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Huckaby of Rotan, he has spent five quarters at Ohio State working toward his Ph. D. in history. He holds his AB degree from Baylor University and received his MA

## Deep-Plowing to Be Demonstrated on E. J. Whaley Farm

Farmers of the Hamlin area are invited to attend a deep tillage demonstration on the E. J. Whaley farm, about four miles east of Hamlin on the Stamford highway, next Tuesday.

Tools to be used at the demonstration will be a sub-soiler with beat-wing which gives the ground about an inch and half lift by completely cutting the ground between the sub-soil from 16 to 20 inches below the surface; also chislers and bedders that can be set at any desired depth.

Roy C. Brown, farm and ranch representative of the Central Texas Machinery Company at Abilene, is staging the demonstration to point up the advantages of deep-soil plowing. Brown says that improved production up to 50 per cent results from this deep plowing method.

at Columbia in 1950. His application for a fellowship was sponsored by the Rotary Club of Hamlin.

Huckaby said he has his choice of three places in Europe where he may study, under terms of the fellowship. "It probably will be Paris," he added.



## Jack E. Butler Arrives At Okinawa for Duty

Among recent arrivals on Okinawa from Korea for special duty with the Army was Warrant Officer Junior Grade Jack E. Butler of Hamlin.

Butler, whose wife, Teresa, lives on Route 2, Hamlin, is now assistant storage officer for the general depot on Okinawa. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Butler of Route 1, Shreve, Ohio.

Young Butler recently underwent a special training course in the strategic importance of the Ryukyus Command from Colonel Ward W. Conquest, chief of staff.

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### REAL ESTATE

**FOR SALE**—Four-room house with bath; three blocks west of Ward School, 642 Northwest Fifth Street. R. A. Thompson. 17-2p

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—Modern five-room home with furniture.—Forrest Johnson, 445 Northeast Avenue B. 1p

**HAVE SOME good boys in houses** for sale. 120-ACRE FARM; close in to Hamlin. 439 ACRES near Stamford for sale.

**WANTED**—Reliable person to work as real estate salesman; must know how to meet the public. See D. M. White for interview Friday, March 6, from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m., White Plaza Hotel, Hamlin. 1c

### Cards of Thanks

**CARD OF THANKS** The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our recent sorrow will always remain with us as a precious memory. Our sincere thanks and gratitude for all the cards sent and for all those comforting acts.—Mrs. F. L. Rector, Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Clifton. 1p

### FOR RENT

**CARD OF THANKS** We wish to express our deep appreciation to all our friends and neighbors who were so kind to us during my illness in putting up our farm land. God bless each one of you for your prayer.—Mr. and Mrs. Grover Maynard, Fay and Oletha. 1c

**FOR RENT**—Three-room furnished duplex; reasonable rate; close in.—Mrs. Milton Smith, telephone 46. 14-tfc

**FOR RENT**—Small unfurnished house; reasonable. Call Thomas Ferguson, phone 87. 17-2c

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**FOR RENT**—Nice two-bedroom home; like new; or would sell with small down payment and pay like rent.—Fred Jay, phone 321-J. 18-2p

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#### ELECTION ORDER

The State of Texas, County of Jones, City of Hamlin:

I, B. M. Brundage, mayor of the City of Hamlin, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Hamlin, Texas, on the 7th day of April, 1953, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said city: Two Aldermen; and that said election shall be held at the City Hall in said city, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers thereof, to-wit: J. E. Patterson, Presiding Judge; Mrs. Brad Rowland, Judge; Mrs. C. C. Prater, Clerk; Mrs. Kenneth Parker, Clerk; and that all independent candidates at the election to be held on Tuesday, April 7, 1953, for the above mentioned offices file their applications to become candidates with the City Secretary at the City Hall, on or before 30 days from date of said election, this date being March 7, 1953, before five (5:00) o'clock p. m.—B. M. Brundage, Mayor. Attest: Mrs. H. M. Barrow, Secretary. 1c

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## Sources of Revenue Now Not Enough to Build and Maintain Highways for Texas

(This is one of a series of articles presenting facts and figures about Texas roads and highways. The information was compiled by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce highway policy committee. These facts are being disseminated solely for the information of the public, without comment or interpretation.)

Sources of revenue to the Texas Highway Department for road construction and maintenance will be presented in this article. The first of the series set out the total estimated cost of construction of all types of roads that now are needed—a figure that topped one and one-half billions of dollars.

One-third of the total of \$122,431,247 received in 1951 by the department for maintenance of the more than 46,000 miles of roads in the total system, according to information given the West Texas Chamber of Commerce highway policy committee by the highway department.

It was pointed out in the first of this series of articles that the department's planning survey of December, 1951, showed that roads of all types needed by the state would cost slightly more than one and one-half billion dollars.

The funds devoted to construction and maintenance of the system—federal aid primary, state and farm-to-market roads—come from four sources: State motor fuel tax, motor vehicle registration fees, the general fund for farm roads, and federal aid.

The motor fuel (gasoline) tax provided \$45,187,511 in 1951. This is the principal source of revenue. Contrary to the opinion of many people, all of the four-cents-per-gallon gasoline tax does not go into the highway fund. Actually only 2.6 cents is allocated for highway purposes.

One cent of the four-cent levy goes into the school fund. One cent of the tax has been diverted since 1932 to retire road

bonds issued by counties and road districts. In 1950, approximately four-tenths of this one-cent levy was needed to retire bonds maturing in that year. As the law now is written, the remaining six-tenths of this cent is divided between counties for road purposes, and the highway department. The last Legislature froze at \$7,300,000 the total to counties out of the one-cent so-called "bond assumption" fund, the remainder going to the state.

Thus, from the four-cent gasoline tax, a cent is deducted for schools, and approximately four-tenths cent to retire county bonds, leaving approximately 2.6 cents for construction and maintenance by the state.

The state department received \$32,561,756 in 1951 from motor vehicle registration fees. A total of \$53,000,000 was collected in such fees. The counties received the balance of approximately \$20,000,000.

Each county keeps the first \$50,000 it collects in registration fees. After that, it divides the remainder with the state on a 50-50 basis until the county receives \$175,000. All fees collected in a county in excess of \$175,000 goes to the state.

The Briscoe-Colson bill provides for the diversion of \$1,250,000 per month from the state general fund for this type of roads.

Farm-to-market road funds come primarily from two sources. They are \$1,250,000 per month from the state general fund and \$7,300,000 per year from the bond assumption fund.

Receipts to the state for farm-to-market roads totaled \$20,949,528 in the year ended August 31, 1951.

Federal funds allotted for Texas construction in 1951 totaled \$29,681,979. The federal government collects this money in the form of a tax of two cents per gallon of gasoline. Federal aid money must be matched by state money.

### Blankenship Judge Fisher Project Shows

As a prelude to the Fisher County 4-H Club and FFA Livestock Show held Saturday at Roby, the Future Farmers of America groups at Roby and Rotan staged their project shows last Thursday in the two Fisher County towns.

T. C. Blankenship, instructor of vocational agriculture at Hamlin High School, acted as judge for the two project shows.

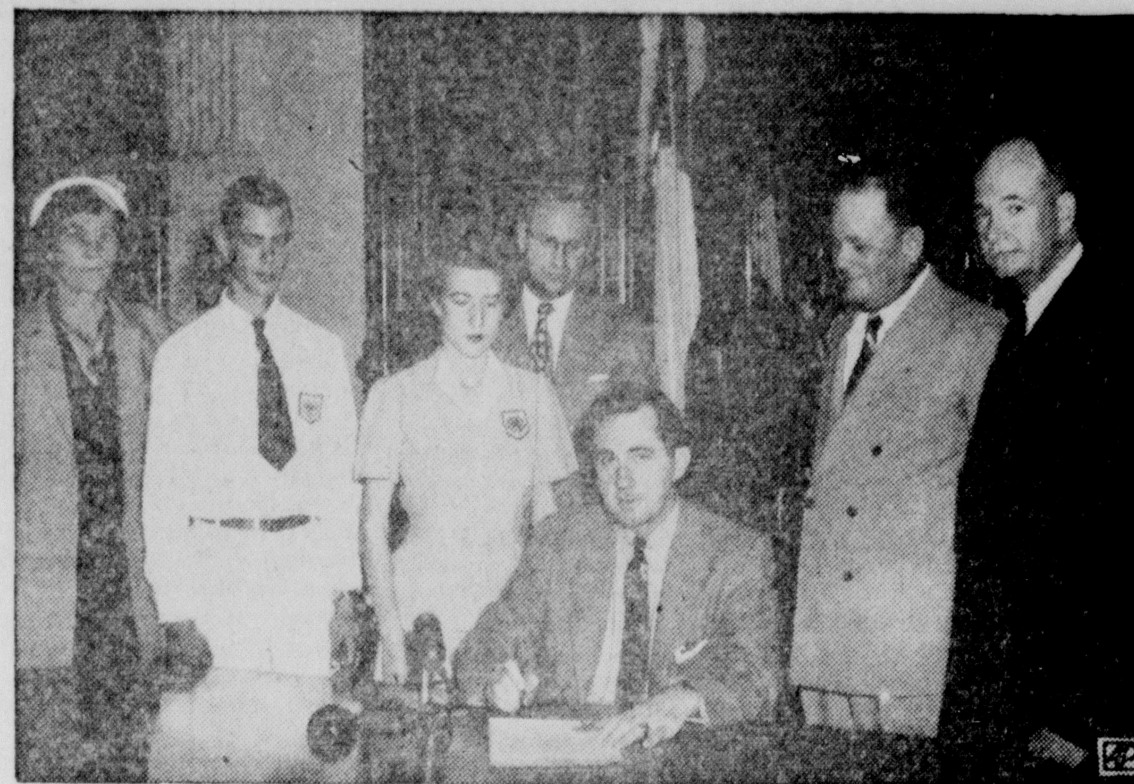
Indian Chief Lotta Bull had 10 wives and the government agent had just found out about it. "Bull," he said firmly, "we must all obey the laws. Now you go straight home and tell all those wives but one that they must go!"

The chief reflected a bit. "You tell 'em," he said finally.

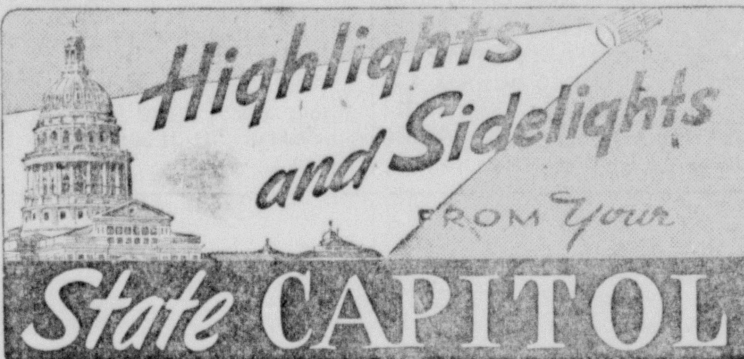
"What are ancestors, mummy?" asked the young son.

"Granny's one of yours and granddad's another," the mother explained.

"Oh!" He looked rather puzzled. Then, after a moment's thought, he inquired: "Why do people boast about them?"



GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS 4-H CLUB WEEK MARCH 7-15—Governor Allan Shivers is shown signing a proclamation designating March 7-15 as "4-H Club Week in Texas." Watching are (left to right): Mrs. Fred Buass, Travis County adult 4-H leader; Delbert Taylor, Tarrant County and Floyd Lynch, state 4-H club leader; David Cedars of Oak Hill, and G. G. Gibson, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.



By Verne Sanford, Manager, Texas Press Association.

Austin.—Abolishing gasoline tax refunds would provide for a perpetual farm-to-market highway fund and give \$4,000,000 a year more for schools.

Chairman E. H. Thornton Jr. of the Texas Highway Commission made that assertion as he prepared an analysis of the state's road situation for presentation to the Legislature.

Gasoline tax refunds go to those using the fuel for non-highway purposes. Last year refunds amounted to \$15,267,000 of \$120,244,000 collected. Most of the refunds go to farmers who use gasoline for farm vehicles and machines.

Thornton is asking for an additional \$100,000,000 per year to bring Texas highways up to the highest standard and maintain them for the next 10 years.

The highway commission has a new member, former Senator Marshall Formby of Hereford, who succeeds Fred Wemple of Midland. The third member is R. J. Potts of Harlingen.

The highway problem is a foremost one in the Legislature, and many proposals have been made to solve it. Governor Allan Shivers has asked the Legislature to add at least one cent a gallon to the gasoline tax to furnish additional money.

One cent per gallon would bring the state \$25,000,000 per year.

Another plan was put forward by Representative Charles Murphy of Houston, sponsor of a constitutional amendment requiring all user taxes to go for road building, maintenance and policing. Should the amendment be passed

by the Legislature and ratified by the voters, the schools would lose their share of the gasoline tax revenue. They now get one-fourth of it.

Both Houses of the Legislature struggled with the highly controversial auto inspection law—the one that requires you to have that little yellow sticker on the windshield of your car.

Senator Carlos Ashley of Llano typified opponents of the law who want it repealed. Ashley thinks the law is discriminatory in that it works a hardship on lower income bracket people who cannot afford extensive repairs on their cars.

Accidents, Ashley contends, are caused, not by defective automobiles primarily, but by drunk drivers and speeders.

The senator argued that poor people in his native hill country make a living hauling cedar posts in slow-moving trucks that would not pass inspection in a junk yard.

"Why should they have to pass a windshield wiper inspection when they don't have windshields?" Ashley wanted to know.

Senator John Bell of Cuero, on the other hand, worked to retain the bill and modify it so that the safety sticker would not be a requisite to purchase of an automobile license.

Bell also would specify what particular parts of the car would have to be examined to get the inspection tag. Bell and others believe that the law, if retained, will cut down on highway deaths.

The chances that horse racing will return to Texas seem slight. Representative Ed Sheridan of San Antonio introduced a bill to

legalize pari-mutuel betting, but when the time came for a committee hearing on the measure, Sheridan said he was willing to postpone the whole thing.

Stout opposition to the bill had been gathering, and Sheridan said he wanted to "let it cool." Observers here doubted it would cool enough to let the bill pass.

Quick action was needed, Governor Shivers said, to provide for 900 tuberculosis patients who are now being treated at Weaver H. Baker Hospital at Mission.

The Air Force will take over the hospital on July 1.

Bills to provide for the patients passed the Senate, but moved slowly in the House.

What regulation should there be about home rule cities annexing adjacent areas?

In the legislative process is a bill by Senator Johnnie B. Rogers of Austin to restrict annexation. Such a law is needed, say its supporters, to prevent cities from taking in farms, pastures and dairy lands.

Opponents of the bill from Houston and other cities say it would practically stop annexation and force cities to retain their present boundaries.

The Senate made up its mind about the five-day banking bill—and killed it. The bill, which had the support of some big city banks, would have permitted the financial institutions to operate on a five-day week basis.

Opponents were banks in smaller cities, where the rural people come to do their banking and shopping mostly on Saturdays.

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## Burleson Says New Immigration Act Needs Further Strengthening for U. S.

Omar Burleson, congressman from the 17th District, has this to say in his weekly release for his column, "Washington: As It Looks from Here":

Several letters have been received from people back home regarding the so-called McCarran-Walter immigration act. The measure was passed in the last Congress. The general purpose was a strengthening of the immigration laws and restricting the admission of undesirables.

I supported the measure wholeheartedly and do not favor its repeal. The so-called "liberal" and "do-gooder" groups are opposed to the law, and they have put out a lot of propaganda against it which has influenced many good people to believe it is bad. If anything, I favor strengthening it more.

Another matter of interest to a great many people is the method of appointing postmasters and rural letter carriers. Until the change in the administration, it was my responsibility to recommend persons to these positions. Since the change in the administration, naturally the party in power reserves this privilege which is commonly referred to as "patronage."

Those interested in such positions when they become vacant must either qualify on a civil service examination or be transferred from a position they hold under civil service if their status permits.

As vacancies occur in these positions, it is suggested that anyone interested contact the county Republican chairman as to the method to be used in filling the vacancy. It should be known that the person in position to make recommendations has considerable limitations to his actions. In other words, he cannot simply go out on the street and touch a man on the shoulder and say he is "it." Neither had the congressman any such latitude in the past.

The Civil Service Commission gives an examination for these positions. Regardless of the number who participate in the examination only three can qualify. From these three, a recommendation can be made, but even so, there are limitations in connection with provisions of law favoring veterans. It should also be

said that neither the congressman nor, as the case is now, the Republican county chairman, has anything to do with the examination or the grading of papers by the Civil Service Commission. If this were not true, there would be no need to hold an examination.

It is my hope that this brief explanation may be of help to the Republican county chairmen, who I understand will have this responsibility from now on.

Either next week or the following, unless other subjects appear to be more interesting at the time, it is my expectation to discuss what is commonly referred to as the Bricker constitutional amendment to prohibit the making of treaties and agreements with the president with foreign nations which could have the effect of superseding constitutional law. It is a current controversial question in the Congress and one which will draw considerable attention in the future.

### Service Life Insurance Dividends Due Soon

Veterans of the Hamlin area are being advised this week that the Veterans Administration in the next few days will be mailing out 1953 dividend checks to National Service Life Insurance policy holders in all but three states. For policy holders in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi, the dividend payments will begin in the next 30 to 60 days.

The annual dividend will be paid to about 5,000,000 veterans, with the vast majority getting a flat \$60 payment.

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## Hamlin's Share of County Red Cross Quota is \$1,741

Quota of \$8,202 has been set for Jones County in the coming Red Cross fund raising campaign. W. T. Johnson of Hamlin is county fund chairman. (The Herald inadvertently stated in a story last week that Earl Smith was county chairman.)

Hamlin's quota has been set for \$1,741. Anson's at \$1,442, and Stamford's at \$2,578. The additional amount will be assigned as quotas to the various small communities of the county, and everyone will be given an opportunity to give.

Hamlin's chairman is Dr. William S. Seals; Anson's chairman is Mrs. A. V. Womack; and Stamford's is F. E. Upshaw.

Slogan this year is "Answer the Call," and people will be asked to wear their Red Cross buttons when they receive them "to remind others."

The overall quota for the county is increased over last year when it was \$7,461.

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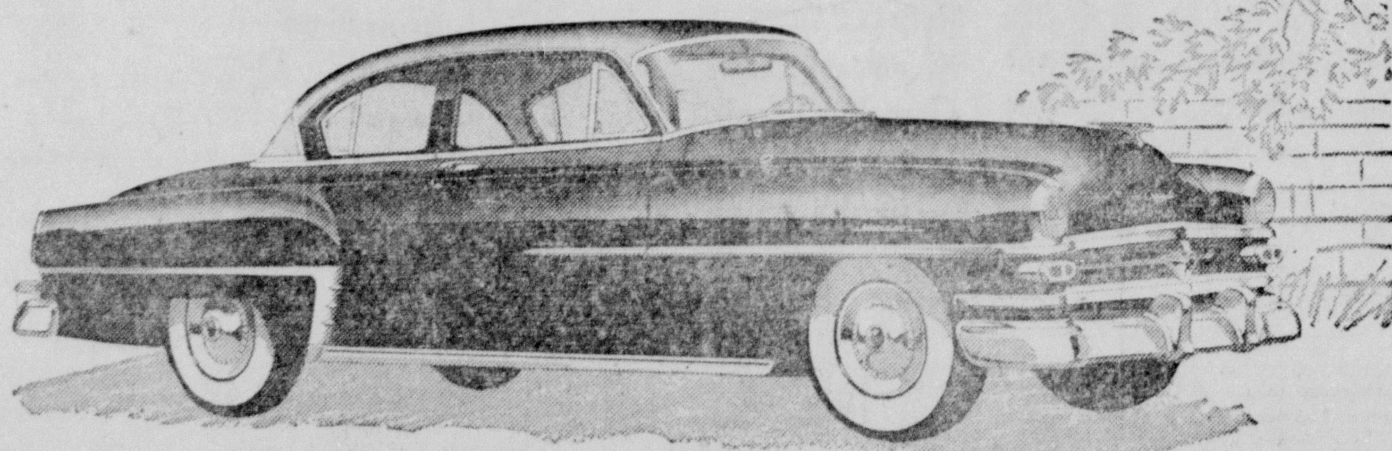


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